HONGKONG, FRIDAY, 13TH MARCH, 1874. 日五念月正年戌甲治同 號三十九零千五第 No. 5098

號三十月三英 五拜禮

PRICE \$21 PER MONTH.

March 12, SINDH, French str., 1,903, Rapatel, Marseilles 1st February, Naples 8rd, Port Said 8th, Suez 10th, Aden 18th, Galle 28th, Singapore 4th March, and Saigon 8th, General, -MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

March 12, HECTOR, Brit. str., 1,522, Bewley, Liverpool 13th January, Port Said 28th, Suez 2nd February, Jeddar 5th, Penang 28th, and Singapore 2nd March, General.—BUTTERPIELD & SWIRE. March 12, Hailone, Brit. str., 277, Pun-

chard, Tamsui 6th March, Takao 7th, Taiwanfoo 9th, and Amoy 10th, General.—D. LAPBAIR & Co. March 12, KWANGTUNG, Brit. str., 491, Pit.

man, Foochow 6th, March, Amoy 7th, Takao 9th, and Swatow 10th, General. -D. LAPBAIR & Co. March 12, Ningro, Brit. str., 761, Ramsey,

Canton March 11th, General.—SIEMS-SEN & Co. March 12, CHINA, Amer. str., 4,000, Cobb, San Francisco 2nd February, and Yokohama 5th March, General .- P. M. S. S.

March 12, Fidelio, German bark, 300, Bohsen, Bergen November 6th; Fish .-JOHN BURD & Co.

March 12, FERDINAND, German bark, 416. Lorenzen, Chefoo 28th February, Peas -WM. PUSTAU & Co.

March 12, DELTA, British steamer, 1,016 Edmond, Whampon March 12th.-P. & O. S. N. Co.

Departures.

March 12, CHINKIANG, str., for Canton. March 12, Prino, str., for Saigon, &c. March 12. Hongkong, for Turon. March 12. H.M.S. TEAZER, for a Cruise. March 12, LEGISLATOR, str., for Seigon, &c.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. Мавси 12ти. Yung-ching, str., for Shanghai. Ningpo, str., for Shanghai. Legislator, str., for Saigon, &c. Ferdinand, for Whampon.

J. H. Jessen, for Newchwang.

Passengers.

Por Sindh, str., from Maysoilles, &c. :-From Marseilles .- Mkline. Mary Errington Mr. Enicart, and Lee-gim-ching. From Gallo -Mr. Sarrazin. From Baigon.-I Harino and 58 Obincae.

From Marseilles, -Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie and serveut, Mrs. Bishop, Mesers, Hans, Macartney, Maquet, Frink, Bovenschen, and Vaitton. From Fort Said .- Mr. Flavian. From Sugon Mdmc. Haglor and servant, and I Chinese. For Yokohama.

From Marseilles .- Mdnie, Avril, Messrs. Bateman, Lawrence, Liccioni, Muraoux, Jo-Daids, and Leiseborg. From Suigon.-Mr. Pal-

Per Hector, str., from Liverpool, &c .:-For Hongkong .- Assistant Commissary G. Arber, and Mr. J. R. Bridgeman, Sir Pran Nay Samuchay, Mr. Luang Minkres, and Mr. Da-Costa, and 51 Chinese. For Shanghai. - J. C. Per Hailoong, str., from Timsti, &c .:-

Mr. Stokes and 19 Chinese. Per P.M. S. Coas etr. China, from San Francisco and Yokohum - :--

Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. Cobb, Dr. King, U.S.N. and servant, Mesers, A. Nellson, B. S. Coming, F. Hall, G. R., Hall, A. Ceuter and servant, Edwin Gammon and servant, and C. Eterling, and 185 Chinese.

Per Kwangtung, str., from Fooebow, &c. :-Sir Edmond Hornby, I Enropean deck and 42 Chinese.

Per Ferdinand, from Chefoo .-2 Europeans.

Per Peiho, str., for Suigon and Marseilles :-For Saigon, Sours Rosa and Adelaide, Messys, Louvet, Chas. Bertrand, and 6 Chinese. For Port Said .- Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith, child and servent. For Ismalia. - Mr. Huntington. For Naples. - Mr. E. Denegri. For Marseilles. .Mr. and Mrs. Burrows and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Tracey, Mr. and Mrs. Azevedo Coutinho and 2 children, Mdme, Meinard, Messre, Imbert, W. C. Hellier, Richter, Estienne, Muller and Robenson,

2 Cabin and 180 Chinese. Per Ningpo, str., for Shanghai :-200 Chinese. Per Legislator, str., for Saigon, &c. :-For Singapore.—220 Chinese. For Calcutta

Per Yung ching, str., for Shanghai, &c. :-

-Mr. and Mrs. Hilley, Miss Hilley, Mr. and Mrs. Morris, Mesers. Wilkins and Ross.

Reports.

The German bark Fidelio reports left Bergen on 6th November, and had fine weather through-

The German bark Fordinand reports left Chefoo on 28th February, had light and variable winds and foggy weather throughout the

The French steamship Sinds reports left Marseilles on 1st February, Naples on the 3rd Port Said on the 8th, Suez on the 10th, Aden on the 18th, Galle on the 28th, Singapore on 4th. March, and Saigon on the 8th; had light monsoon the first part, latter part fresh and thick foggy weather.

Vessels that have arrived in Europe from Ports in China, Japan and Manila. (Per last Mail's Advice.)

From. Date of Arriva Inculairo......Iloito.... Hongkong (s) China Ports Jan. 27 Achilles (s).........HougkongJan: 29

Vessels Expected at Hongkong. (Corrected to Date.)

Varsel's Name. From. Dates.

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M. A. Holman.	Cardiff	Oct. 13	
Rudama	Cardiff	Oct. 20	
Lesmona	Cardiff	Oct 24	•
Channel Queen	Oardiff	Oct. 28	
Sedan	Hambire	Nov. 2	
Derwent	London	Nov. 18	
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Lydia Qeaka	London	Dec. 30	ŀ
Batavin	Cuxbaven	Dec. 30	
Elizabeth Doug			
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Diomed (s)	Liverpool	Jan. 2	ĺ

(For continuation of Shipping Reports see third page.).

Tanjore (8)......Southampton ...Jan. 29

Auction Sales To-day. LANE, ORAWFORD & Co., At 12 noon,

Sundry Goods, &c.

TONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. PAID UP CAPITAL 5,000,000 of Pollars.

Court of Directors :---Chairman-W. H. FORBES, Esq. Deputy Chairman-The Hon. R. ROWETT. Wm. Lemann, Kaq. Thus. Pyke, Esq. S. D. Sassoon, Esq.

Chief Manager. Hongkong James Greig, Esq., Manager. Shanghai Ewen Cameron, Esq.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED.

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Francs. & Sterling. PAID-UP CAPITAL 80,000,000 3,200,000 RESERVE FUND 20,000,000 B00,000

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Interest Allowed On current deposit accounts at the rate of 2 % per aunum on the monthly minimum ba. lances; 24 % subject to 15 days' notice of withdrawal; and 3 % subject to one month's notice.

On Fixed Deposits: For 3 months 8 % per annum.

A. PHILIPPE,

Acting Manager. 876 Hongkong, 2nd June, 1873. THE ANGLO-OALIFORNIAN BANK.

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CORPORATION. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the balf-year ending on 81st December last, at the rate of Eight per cent, per annum, say \$5 per paidup Share of \$125, is payable on and after WED. NESDAY, the 18th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warranta.

By order of the Board of Directors, JAMES GREIG. Chief Manager.

ti 263 Hongkong, 16th February, 1874.

Possession can be taken on May 1st. T. ALGAR,

tf 369 Hongkong, 10th March, 1874. With Immediate Possession.

Gas and Water laid on. Apply to

With Possession from the 1st April next. THE HOUSE No. 29, Wyndbam Street, at present in the occupation of A. N. Apply to

BLAKEMAN, Esq. Gas and Water laid on: -1m 398 Hongkong, 3rd March, 1874. TO LET, (With possession on the 1st March.)

TO. 108, QUERN'S ROAD, OFFICE and DWELLING HOUSE, with DOWNS attached; at present in the occupation of Messis, Sanders & Co. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 232 Hongkong, 11th February, 1874.

THE HOUSE No. 1 at Mosque Terrace. that day. I The GODOWN No. 1 at Rice Mills, West Point. Apply to G. YON OVERBECK. tf 116 Hongkong, 19th January, 1874-

TO LET. "INHE" FOREST LODGE," situated in Unine

The HOUSE formerly occupied by Hon. Jusion PAUNCEFOTE. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

TO LET. With Possession on the 1st of March.

THE Business PREMISES and Dwelling I HOUSE on Queen's Road at present in the occupation of Mesers. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Apply to ROBT. S. WALKER & Co. tf 41 Hongkong, 6th January, 1874.

D cupation of W. V. DRUMMOND, Esq. Possession from 1st February next.

Apply to G. FALCONER. tf 26 Hougkong, 2nd January, 1874.

TO LET. NTO-10, UPPER MOSQUE TERRACE, Four Rooms, Bath and Dressing Booms, Out-Houses, &c. Water and Gas laid on. Also, No. 8, in the same Terrace.

Apply to T. G. LINETEAD. tf 1627 Hongkong, 8th December, 1878.

WONG KOONG-TREN, in our firm, caused on the 16th February, 1874. WEE KO-PEE and OW YANG MAH. YEE were admitted Partners in our firm on the 17th

FOOK MOW LOONG HONG. 48. Bonham Strand West. 3m 362. Hongkong, 9th March, 1874.

HAVE Established myself at this port as Merchant and Commission Agent. WILLIAM FORBES. 1m A329 Tientain, let March, 1874.

AAR. CARL HEERWANN has this day been admitted a partner in our firm. CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr. A. H. P. HASE, in our firm, ceased on the 31st December, 1873. Mr. HERMANN STOLTERFORT has been admitted a partner in our firm in Hongkong and

tf 330 Hongkong, 1st March, 1874. AAR, JAMES C. PRASER is admitted Partner in our Firm from this date. SAUNDERS, NEEDHAM & Co. Liverpool, 1st January, 1874. 1m 309

AR JAMES C. FRASER baving become NI a Partner in the Firm of Mesers. BAUN-DEES. NEEDHAM & Co., of Liverpool, his interest in the Firm of JAMES O. FRASER & Co., is now represented by Mesers. SAUNDERS, NEEDHAM & CO.

JAMES C. FRASER. JAMES P. MOLLISON.

WE Have this day admitted Mr. EVAN J FRASER to be a Partner in our Firm. JAMES C. FRASER & Co. Yokobama, lat January, 1874. [1m 311 A B. JAMES HENRY SCOTT and Mr. WIL-VI LIAM DROUGHT HARRISON have been Roubsiz, Brussels, Alexandria, Dollard, Saint China, and Japan.

Cutta, Hongkong, Shanghai, Baigon, Saint China, and Japan.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

> N.R. GEORGE BASIL DIXWELL bas IVI resigned his authority to sign our name in Hongkong, Ohian, and Japan from this date. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. 1m 286 Hongkong, December 31st, 1873.

NOTICE. 14HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. F Sornsen, in our firm, has this dily ceased. WM. G. HALF & Co.

NOTICE. Offices in Hongkong; Bunk Buildings, FillE interest and responsibility of Mr ADOLPH JOOST, in our firm, ceased on the 31st December, 1873. Mr. PAUL GERHARD HUBBE and Mr. ALBERT Gultzow have been admitted partners in our firm at Hongkong and in China, on the 1st

Mr. GUSTAY PRIERS is authorised to sign SIEMSSEN & Co. 34d 158 Hongkong, 28th January, 1874.

Section AND TION SECTION AAR. WM. REINERS has this day been ad-IVI mitted a partner in our firm. MELCHERS & Co. 3m 3 Hongkong, 1st January, 1874.

Houghong and China between W. J. BLYDENBURGH, GEORGE HURLBUT, S. E. Pround floor, and Commodious Stables and HUNTINGTON, and J. C. HEITMANN, under the Ont-bouses attached; Four Godowns in the name and Firm of SMITH, ARCHER & Co., is same compounds, subdivided, and capable of this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent. Either partner will sign the name of the Two Godowns, known as "The Boat House," Firm in Liquidation. SMITH: ARCHER & Co. 3m 24 Hongkong, let January, 1874.

this date. TURNER & Co.

tf 2096 Shanghai, 15th December, 1873.

NOTICE.

alternate days as before.

The Paper has been Established for nearly Twenty Years, and is, as to Editorial Manage-FIHE HOUSE No. 1. Caine Road, lately in | ment, under the Direction of a Well Educated Chinese Gentleman: gives reliable commercial and general information, and has the same position with the Native Community as to Adverbisements and News as the English Daily Press with the Foreign Community. The Charge for Advertisements will be as hereto-

Hongkong, 23rd February, 1874 THE INDO-CHINESE SUGAR COMPANY. LIMITED.

MAREHOLDERS are bereby notified, that in accordance with the 36th Chause of the Articles of Association of the Company, the 8th Oall of Twelve Dollars and Fifty Cents per share is payable on the Slat December ourrent, at the Hongkong and Shanghal Banking Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent, pe annum will be charged on all Calls paid after

By order, A. NOEL BLAKEMAN, tf 2009 Hongkong, 10th December, 1878.

BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT 100 His EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR TO H. I. H. THE GRAND DUKE ALEXIS OF

T. N. DRISCOLL. CIVIL, NAVAL, & MILITARY TAILOR, WOOLLEN DRAFER, HATTER, HOSIER AND GENERAL OUTFITTER, 45 and 47, Queen's Road, next to Oriental Bank. [Feb. 1.

CIPECIAL ATTENTION of Shippers is called HONGKONG, HO NAM, AND CANTON to the low rates of premium charged for all steamer risks, besides which a brokerage of toe name of HING KEE. PELMONT LODGE, at present in the co- PER CENT, is allowed by this Company on ALL INSURANCES. SIEMSSEN & Co.,

> tf 270. Hongkong, 19th February, 1874. TRANSATLANTIO FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

tf 89 Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. 1 1y 745 Hongkong, 18th May, 1878.

Auctions. Intimations. HONGKONG ATHLETIC SPORTS.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE. . ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by ITHE above sports will be held on the Cricket Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Field TO-MORROW, the 14th instant Queen's Road.

the 18th March, 1874, at Noon,-Assorted OILMAN'S STORES, PER- Hongkong Cricket; or Recreation Clubs, except FUMERY, Toilet-SOAP, Door LOCKS, Gal- in the competitions mentioned for Soldiers, vanized BUCKETS, SCREWS, Hand SAWS, Sailors, and All Comers. Subscription Lists, TRAYS, Porcelain TOYS, Kerosine LAMPS, together with the Entry Lists for the numerous Stereoscopic SLIDES. Pocket KNIVES, Table events, will be found on the tables of the dif-

COVERS, SHIRTS, BLANKETS. 56 Kegs NAILS, assorted sizes. 5 Tuba Fine TALLOW. 10 Bales Sheathing FELT.

8 Coils 15 thd, RATLINE. 8 18 do 8 HOUSELINE 1 Length & inch Iron OHAIN. Golvanized CHAIN. White and Black PAINT.

12 Kegs, choh 100 lbs., American Cut NAII

5. Casks, each 2 Doz. 2 Ibs. Tins, GREEL 27 Casks, each 2 Doz. Tart FRUITS. Asserted FRUITS. Bass's ALE, Quarte. 10 " Allsopp's do., do. 12 " do. do., Pints: 2 Cases Fine YORK HAMS

An Invoice of India-Rubber COMBS.

At 12 o'clock precisely,-1 English-made WAGGONETTE. I Pair North China PONIES: TERMS OF SALE-Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer. 881 Hongkong, 11th March, 1874.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY.the 18th March, 1874, at Nuon, on the Pre-All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND situated in Queen's Road, Spring Gardens, and registered in the Lond Office as Inhand Lot No. 768, together with the Substantially Built Godown erected thereon, mensuring 125 fact long and 85 feet 6 in wide. For further particulars, apply to the Under-

TERMS OF SALE .- One-balf of the purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hummer and the balance on completion of the Deed o Transfer, the expenses of which to be paid by The Property to be at the risk of the Purchaser on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

357 Hongkong, 7th March, 1874.

capable of containing 2,000 tops coal.

The area of the Estate is 68,874 square-feet,

and a large portion of Additional Land, on the

sea-side, can be easily reclaimed for building

Annual Crown Rental of the whole Property,

The Estate can be sold in one or two lots, to

For Further Particulars, Messurement, &c.,

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED,

STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

THE DIVIDEND at the rate of 16 per cent.

By order of the Board of Directors,

114 Hongkong, 17th Jenuary, 1874.

The Machine Shop contains a 12-inch Screw

Dry Godowns are on the premises, available

tow yessels to or from sea, at reasonable rates.

TINE UNDERSIGNED begy to inform the

toat he has shops established at those places in

Public of

11 1039 Foodbow, 18th June, 1873.

Outling Gap-lathe, Small Lathes, Drilling and-

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

General Agents.

15 194 Hongkong, Brd February, 1874.

FOR SALE. THE Commodious Three-storied HOUSES, Nos. 13A and 13, Peel Street, and No. 22A,

Gage Street, with GODOWNS attached. Water and Gas laid on. A Piece or Parcel of GROUND in Queen's Boad East, half of Inland Lot No. 768, at pre-260 Hongkong, 16th February, 1874. sent in the possession of G. R. LAMMERT, Esq. For further particulars, apply to D. C. TATA. CORNER OF WYNDHAM STREET AND

WELLINGTON STREET. No. II. Hollywood Road. NEARLY OPPOSITE THE GERMAN CLUB. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1874. [1m 331 FOR SALE. COMPANY

A LL that VALUABLE ESTATE and HOUSEHOLD PROPERTY knows as THE HONGKONG PROTOGRAPHIC "FLETCHER'S and OLYPHANT'S BUILD. ABE NOW OPEN EVERY DAY, tary Hospital, on Marine Lots Nos. 20 and 21. From 10 a.m. to 4 P.M., under the able manageand now ocenpied in part by Mr. A. E. MEYER.
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Cabinet Plotures, Medallion Portraits, Cameo Vignettes, Album Portraits, &c., taken with particular care, and executed with the greatest Specimens for Public Inspection.

258 Hongkong, 16th February, 1874. NOTICE.

REMOVED to first floor, house known as Thos. Hunt & Co.'s Buildings. Peddar's HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MAUAO Wharf. J. LEMBKE. 1m 285 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1874.

> FOR SALE OR HIRE. N AMERICAN CARROOM BILLIARD TABLE. With Fittings, complete. .

MR. J. C. H. IBURG, MORMERLY Organist of St. Andrew's Cathedral, and Director of Music in the ceding year. German Club " Feutonia," at Singapore LESSONS given in SINGING, PLANO-

FORTE, ORGAN, VIOLIN, and on any other Piano-forte Tuning done on moderate terms. For Engagements, &c., please address, care of Messrs. Lane, CRAWFORD & Co.; or Messrs. | kohama.

COMMENCING with the mail of 8th Jan. usry, 1874, and until further notice, the

A. McIVER, Superintendent Screwing Machines, Steam Saw Mill, Large P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 18th December, 1878. KRUPP'S CAST STEEL WORKS, ESSEN (GERMANY.)

> JAPAN, F. PEIL, tf 1671. Hongkong, Shanghai, Cologne (Germany. A. MILLAR & CO., I OUSE, SHIP AND STEAMBOAT PLUMBERS.

> of 387 Hongkong, 1st March, 1871. Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and Chine by Messrs. J. & R. Tennent, Glasgow, and Mesera. David Corear & Sons ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. 11 419 Hongkong, Junuary, 1867.

Opposite H.M. Naval Dock Yard.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following rates will be charged in future landed and stored at their risk and expense. for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, vik:-Not exceeding 1 month, a do. do. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months...

· ALVESTINA

Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months... 1 EDWARD NORTON & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company. TK. Nos. 140/42 tf 242 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870.

Intimations.

THE Steamship "YUEN-TZE-FEE"

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 389 Hougkong, 12th March, 1874. FOR MANILA.

" ALAVESA. the above port, For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. tf 390 Hongkong, 12th March, 1874.

THE Managership of the Hongkong AND CHINA BAKERY COMPANY, LIMITED onving been resigned by Messre, MacEwen, FRICKEL & Co., has been placed in the hands

of the Undersigned. LANE. CRAWFORD & Co. tf 386 . Hongkong, 11th March, 1874.

4d 383 Hongkong, 11th March, 1874. DURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery made in the matter of the Estate of HENRY HAWES, deceased, and in a

HAWES AGAINST HAWES. the Ordditors, elsewhere than in the United Kingdom, of HENRY HAWES, deceased, late of Boochow, in the Empire of China, Captain of a steamer, who died in or about the month of June, 1869, are on or before the 1st day of June 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. BIGHARD BOYER, of the firm of LAWRANCE, Co.'s, where seats may be secured. PLEWS, and BOYER, of 14, Old Jewry Chan hers, in the City of London, the Solicitor of the Administrator, their Obristian and Surnames, addresses and descriptions, and the Christian and Surnames of any partner or partners, the full particulars of their claims; a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them; or, in default thereof

they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order. Every Creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor, Sir James Bacon, at his Chambers, situated No. 11, Now Square. Lincoln's Inn, Middlesex, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of June, 1874. at 12 o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims. Dated this 23rd day of December, 1873.

Plaintiff & Solicitors. 14, Old Jewry Chambers, London.

PRE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

YOTICE is hereby given, that the Third Ordinary MEETING of the Shureholders of the above Company will be beld at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 27th March, 1874, at 3 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1873. The Transfer Books of the Company will be

CLOSED from the 16th to the 27th March, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board, OLYPHANT & Co. General Agents. 18d 370 Hongkong, 9th March, 1874.

TEITHER the Captain. Owners, nor Agents of the Steamer Scotland will be responsible for any debts contracted by either Officers noon at 5, Solemn Vespers, with music. VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,

FOR SALE. BANGKOK TEAK Squares, 20 feet to 37 feet, by 9 inches to 18 inches.

tf 335 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1874.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. FINHE Government of Japan publishes on the 12th Month (December) of each year, for

the use of Mariners, a DESCRIPTIVE LIST

Established by them—giving the characteristic appearance and correct bearings of cach. Mariners are requested not to purchase any List except that for the year current at the ime of purchase, as changes or corrections may have been made, and no reliance can be placed on any List which has been published for a pre-

Copies of the List for the 7th year of Mei 1874, can now be obtained from Messrs LANI CEAWFORD & Co., at Yokobsma, Shanghai, and Hongkong; from Messra. Kinny & Co., at, Kobe: from Messre: ADAMS & Co., at Nagasaki; and also at the Lighthouse Office, Benten, Yo-

PRICE, \$1.25. Todai no Kami, Satow Yozo. R. HENRY BRUNTON, Public Works Department, Section of Lighthouse, Benten, Yokohama, 12th Month, 6th year of Meiji, (December, 1873.) [Feb. 1 1m 267] S. S. YORKSHIRE, FROM LONDON,

SINGAPORE, &c.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Bteamer are bereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk in the Godowns of the Undersigned, from whence delivery may be obtained. Consignees desiring to take delivery of Goods from the boats alongside the wharf, are at Optional Cargo will be sent forward, unless notice to the contrary be received before Noon

ed for countersignature. GILMAN & Co., 379 Hongkong, 10th March, 1874.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEES of the following cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery ; this Cargo bas been No fire insurance has been effected. O. BERTRAND,

RWL, 1/4 ... 4 cases Merchandise. OW, C. Wiggins ... I case Ex " Meikong," 27th February, 1874. O in diamond, .S ones Merobandise. Hongkong, 9th March. 1874.

Intimations.

begs to announce that she will give her

CITY HALL. MATADAME ARABELLA GODDARD

SECOND GRAND CONCERT, TO MORROW (SATURDAY) EVENING, March 14th. When she will be assisted by

GENTLEMEN AMATEURS (Who have kindly given their services,)

MRS. SMYTHE.

PROGRAMME. PART I. 1.—Song—"Only the Night Winds,"... Sullivan MRS. SYMTHE. 2.—Solo, Pinnoforte—Sonata in A Major. Andante with Variations, Minuett and Trio,

MADAME ARABELLA GODDARD.

3.-Song-" Come to the Dauce." Henrion.

MRS. SMYTHE.

4.—Folo, Violincello—Sonata by Corelli (1653-1713,) Lindner. GENTLEMAN AMATEUR. PART II. A prz, late master of the Peruvian ship 1.—Solo, Pianoforte—Graud Fantasia on airs from Don Giovanni, arranged expressly MADAME ARABELLA GODDARD.

2.-Ballad-" Waiting," Millard MRS. SMITHE. 3 .- Solo, Violincello-Espagnol Stahlknecht. GENTLEMAN AMATEUR. 4.—Song—" Wood Nymphs Call," Langton Williams. MRS. SMYTHE. -Solo, Pianoforte-Irish Fantssia, "Erin."

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394 Hongkong, 13th March, 1874.

AND HIOGO. THE British Steamer "YORKSHIRE." Captain Longley, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, 13th instant, at 4 o'clock P.M. For Freight and Passage, apply to

GILMAN & Co.,

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2d 387 Honghong, 12th March, 1874. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAMSUI INHE Steamship " FATILOONG"

will he despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 14th instant, at noon, For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 3d 388 Hongkong, 12th March, 1874. O. R.OGERS, D.D.S., (Successor to Dr. V. D. COLLERS,)

tf 247 Hongkong, 13th February, 1874, Notices to Consignecs.

DENTIST,

religious services at st. Joseph's OHUBOH. TRIDUUM in honor of ST. PATRICK will commence TO MORROW (SATUR-DAY,) the 14th inst., at 7 o clock A.M. On TUESDAY, the Feast of St. PATRICK, there will be Divine Service at 9 o'clock A.M.

of ST. JOSEPH, there will be Divine Service in the morning at 9 o'clock; and, in the after-G. BURGHIGNOLI. 391 Hougkong, 13th March, 1874

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. MONSIGNEES per Company's steamer HECTOR are bereby notified that the cargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns of the undersigned, in both will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 12th March, 1874. Goods undelivered after 19th March, 1874, will be subject to Rent.

7d 392 Hongkong, 12th March, 1874, S. S. SINDH.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIBE.

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ONSIGNEES of Cargo per S. S. INDUS. from London, in connection with the above steamer, are bereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk in the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained from SATURDAY, the 14th, OPTIONAL CARGO will be forwarded on. un-

less intimution is received from the Consignees. before 4 P.M. THIS AFTERNOON, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS-AT, the 9th March, 1874, at noon, will be

No Fire Insurance has been effected. O. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. 393 Hongkong, 12th March, 1874. GERMAN BARQUE PALMA, FROM HAMBURG

subject to rent and landing charges.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk RAYNAL & Co.,

7d 377 Hongkong, 11th March, 1874. S. S. CAWDOR CASTLE, FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. THE Above-named Steamer baving arrived L Consignées of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of Messrs. EDWARD NORTON & Co., whence delivery may be obtained. Bills of Lading to be sent to the Undersign -- Consigneds wishing to receive their Goods .

on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO. DAY, the 11th inst. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 18th netant will be enbject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JOHN BURD & Co.. 378 Hongkong, 11th March, 1874.

NOTICE

THE Undermentioned unclaimed packages I now lying in the Godowns of the Undersigned, at Consignees' risk and expense, will be sold to defray expenses, unless taken delivery of within one mouth from this date. Ex Glengyls, from London, M, \$13, 1 case,

Innded in June. 1872. Ex Poi-lio, from Shanghai, A in diamond, 6 cases, landed in January, 1872. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. 1m 832 Hongkong, 1st March, 1874.

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R. G. SNEATH, 1y 1887] IGN. STEINHART, Managers.

TELLE VUE, at present in the occupation of the Japanese Consul, situated at the Community, the Chinese Issue of this back of the Albany. Gas and Water laid on. 9. Hollywood Road.

tf 348 Hongkong, 5th January, 1874.

J. A. DE CARVALHO.

8. Pedder's Hill.

tf 67 Hongkong, 10th January, 1874.

TO LET.

CORNER HOUSE, with good view;

Notices of Firms.

February, 1874.

2m 334 Hongkong, lat March, 1874.

Canton on the 1st January, 1874. HESSE & Co.

Yokohama, 1st January, 1874. [1m 3 0

tf 295 Hongkong, 18th February, 1874. NOTICE.

1m.266 Saigon, 9th February, 1874.

INGS," situated on Queen's Road East, between the Commissariut Offices and the Mili NOTICE. THE Co-partnership heretofore existing in ling Houses, with strong Godowns, Treasuries, containing 800 or 900 tons coal in each; and

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TN Order to meet the wishes of the Native Paper has been, from the commencement of the China New Year, issued DAILY instead of on

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE COSTERLING SEA AND FIRE IN SUBANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.

members or visitors of the Hongkong, Germania,

erent Clubs, Entries will close on the 10th March, at Noon. J. S. KNOWLES, Hon. Secretary. 23d 276 Hongkong, 19th February, 1874.

GARRISON SPORTS, 1874. THE above will be held on the Cricket. I Ground on FRIDAY and SATURDAY, the 20th and 21st inst., commencing each day at 2 P.M. All races except those otherwise specified to be for Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the Garrison only. Entries will close

on the 16th inst, at noon. W. GAMMELL, A.C., Honorami Secretary 15d 355 Hongkong, 7th March, 1874. NEW GOODS.

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THE Office of the Undersigned has been

per annum, or \$6 per abare, declared at the Ordinary Half yearly Meeting of Shareholders held this day, will be payable at the HONGRONG AND SHANGEAL BANKING COEPO-. R. WHITE, Stag Hotel. RATION on and after WEDNESDAY next, the tf 174 Hongkong, 30th Junuary, 1874. 21st instant. Stareholders are requested to apply at the office of the Company for War-

FOODHOW DOCK. PAGODA ANOHORAGE. THE above Granite-floored DOCK has lately | KRUSE & Co. 189 Hongkong, 2nd February, 1874. been LENGTHENED to 400 feet over all. and is now capable of receiving vessels up to 380 feet on the keel. The breadth of the Dock P. & O. S. N. Co. at the bottom is 40 feet, at the top 80 feet, and the width at the entrance is 56 feet. Depth of water on the sill I3 feet at average neup, and 17 feet at average spring tides. The Dock has a Calsson Gate, and is pumped Company's Homeward Steamers from Calcutta. in connection with the Mail Steamers from this A new FOUNDRY for large iron and brass Port, will proceed to Southampton via the Suez onstings has recently been added.

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HING KEE.

JOHN FORSTER & Co.

FOR MANILA. will have immediate despatch for the above commencing at 1.30 p.m. Competitors must be Officers of either the Army or Navy, or Port.

> THE Spanish Ship Miranda, Master, will have quick-despateb-for

NOTIOE.

LL Claims against Captain Just DE GAL Colombia, must be sent in to the Undersigned on or before the 14th instant, after which date no claims will be asknowled ed. WM. PUSTAU & Co.,

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NOTICE and at 5.30 P M. On THURSDAY, the 19th inst., the Feast

BANGKOK TEAK Planks, 14 inches to 52 cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The cargo LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. tf 297 Hongkong, 24th February, 1874.

LIGHTHOUSES, LIGHTSHIPS, BUOYS, AND BEACONS.

of the 11th instant, Cargo remaining in store after the 18th nstant will be subject to rent.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Es " Iraquaddy," Sist January, 1874.

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HONGKONG, MARCH 13TH, 1874.

We have much pleasure in giving publicity to a very temperate letter from a Missionary troops arriving South: at Foochow, with reference to the comment recently made in this paper upon an extract from a letter from a Missionary at that port, which had appeared in a home paper, and which seemed very unfairly to traduce the foreign residents in China. The quotation which was given embraced all that appeared in the extract in the papers from which it was Taken, and it is certainly to be regretted for round, and \$1.51 for long grain. The ag- second act opens with one of the best acenes that it as much misrepresented the opinions enterlained by some portion, and, we trust, the large majority, of Missionaries with re- requirements, and as not many vessels are on gard to the foreign communities in China as it was certainly wide of a correct exposition of the actual state of the case. It has, ever since the Duke of Somerser's tirade in the House of Lords, in which he designated Shanghai a "Sink of Iniquity," been so much the habit to speak in unmeritedly harsh terms of residents in China that any further fuel added to this fire seems naturally a subject for depresation; and the some what general terms in which the letter alluded to spoke of the effect of the lives of foreigners in China, as standing in the way of propagating Christianity, certainly appear ed to be another blow in the same direction It is satisfactory, therefore, to have the testimony of a reliable authority in Foochow that the opinion of Missionaries is not such as might be gathered from the short extract.

.There are no doubt matters in China on which it is easy to expatiate in terms which may not be altogether unwarranted by individual facts, but which, when stated alone, do not convey any true impression of the moral or religious character of the residents in China. It may be doubted whether, upon the whole, the standard in these respects is materially below that at home, but it is so peculiarity in China that people's private lives are more known than in any other part of the world, and, as a necessary consequence, questionable or objectionable conduct, of which nothing would be heard elsewhere, becomes a subject of notoriety, and, indeed, almost of the concert, and another gentleman amateur publicity. It is not unnatural, therefore, for nersons whose experience is limited or whose treat, and there ought certainly to be a very means of observation are curtailed, to full good house. nto the error of concluding that matters morality are much worse here than at home because they hear more with regard to shortcomings-whereas large allowance ought to be made in any attempted comparison for the little which people at home know of one another's doings, and the small attention which is paid to them. If every short-coming in the large cities at home had the same amount of publicity as is the case in China; we suspect the DUKE of SOMERSET, and thosewho follow him in their abuse of residents in China, would find much less cause for their Pharasaical congratulations, their thanking God that they are not as other men, which, little as people suspect it, is in the majority of cases, the motive power which in reality gives The King of Adanse leaves Ashantee and berise to the vituperation of others.

We do not pretend to deny that there are many things in China which may justly be view and are far from blaming any who general doption of certain courses exclusively table Clipper. Slowcoath, who had come down to improve the tone of China set apart for outward and homeward bound to improve the tone of China set apart for outward and homeward bound to a reconciliation with his note's husband. Deserve success, and it will come. residents. But, before sweeping accusations giving the sailings of all regular steamers and like a rocket, or go down like a bound as to try and like a rocket, or go down like a bullet fired from someone will be sailings of all regular steamers and like a rocket, or go down like a bullet fired from someone will be sailings of all regular steamers and like a rocket, or go down like a bullet fired from someone will be sailings of all regular steamers and like a rocket. A discussion followed, in which Mr. passion, and said be had been swindled. "As are made, it is essential earefully to take into probable positions at sea of any given one on sedaminister corporal punishment to his regular a grant slowly but, surely it makes its round. A latter appears in The Times this morning Hydro Clarke, General Trementical carefully to take into probable positions at sea of any given one on sedaminister corporal punishment to his regular. consideration all the circumstances connected any given day, would, if practicable, do-much trant relative. During the fraces, some hosting than a notice of a lin. Rebden, and others took part, and the not a bit of go in him and yet you warranted ably peculiarities in the life of residents in "good look-out."

China, which should not be overlooked. we take, for example, a tendency to gambling, which at one time was decidedly prevalent, we can easily trace its cause to a great extent to the absence of other and more rational amusements; and, in other directions, a candid observer will find cause to make similar allowances, when instituting comparisons with home, where society is constituted on a totally different basis. We do not soek to excuse moral short-comings in the residents in China more than in other people; but when comparisons are instituted they should be made upon a just basis, and with a due consideration of the relative circumstances in which the two communities compared are placed. Some great thinkors, among whom John STUART MILL was at one time numbered. though he modified his opinous later in

life, look upon men as the mere creatures of circumstances, capable of being rendered good or bad according to their surroundings. This is no doubt going too far; but, on the other hand, it cannot be denied that circumstances do exert a very powerful The pilot boat was the first to arrive, and influence upon the conduct, feelings, and opinions of all men, and we are bound to take them into very careful account when we attempt to institute comparisons as to mornlity between one class and another. This fact is unfortunately too often overlooked; and hence very erroneous ideas have been, as a rule, formed as to the tone, feelings, and habits of residents in the East.

Cable advices from London report the arriva of the sniling ship Leucadia from China.

port and Shanghai?

The degree of Ductor of Divinity bas been conferred upon the Rev. J. S. Burdon, the con-Bishop of Hongkoug.

The Zambesi, bringing the next English mail, left Singapore for Hongkong on Wedneeday morning, the 11th inst. Tho M. M. stenmer Sindh, with the French

mail of January 30th; arrived yesterday, but does not bring any telegrams of later date than those already published. A boat coolie, belonging to a dual-bin bout

fell overboard at Gilman-atreet Wharl, yester day morning, as a swell of the sca moved his boat, and was drowned. His body was picked last night, and the whole uffair passed off very up and taken to the Hospital.

to convey hence the Indian mails to Calcutta. with Mesers. Sussoon & Co.'s steamer Hindostan. They are to leave to morrow, at 3 p.m. Sunfoo, there were about 75 sheats of Benares | opens with the gardens of a rural village inc. Opium. Had this been received, it would pro- and an old haunted rain situated on a cliff in

bably have weakened the market for Benures the distance. A number of the peasantry much more than what it continues to be at are engaged amusing themselves when Hans present, and perhaps might have had an effect Skelter (Mr. Keith), a young German author in for a mandamus. His Worship said he thought depreciation account for a long period of years, burdensome taxation, but was opposed to the An atterly unfounded attempt had been made to upon the other drags too. We learn that, under the management of Brooke) a waiter, which results in the old land-

Mr. Georges (not Taylor, as erroneously stated | lord, Rogueingrain (Mr. Hawkins) being called claewhere), the Dramatic troups of Mr. Lewis, in. Sizetor, buving seen the cuatle and been told with air new performers, sixteen in all, are that there is a nowible story connected with it, shortly to visit Hongkong and Shanghai with hisproclivities at once tend in that direction, and their Company. We bear that they will arrive he expresses his determination to visit it, if he by one of Mesers. Sassoon's steamers, which will can find a guide, that very night. The party probably leave Calcutta in about a week, and is assembled at once protest, and Madams Roguexpected here three weeks hence.

.The following telegrams (unpublished here) are taken from the Foochow Herald .--AMOY, 3rd March, 1874. The Japan insurrection: Excitement abata

Amov, 3rd March; p.m., 1874. Japanese insurrection suppressed. Governrebels, and have entered Saga.

said to have retreated towards Saga. Fresh

Wire quotations:-

SAIGON, 12th march, 1874. increasing Most of the tonnage in harbour the latter leaves the former, to find his way being provided for, prices pursue a downward amid pouring rain, with a laugh partaking tendency. Present quotation: \$1.54 per pical pretty much of the "fiendish grin." The gregate tonnage now in course of loading for ever put upon the Hongkong stage, and Europe is estimated at 83,000 picula.

the way to us, and a fair disposition to charter exists, rates have an upward tendency. The curtain rises, Hans is seen in the solitade of quotations are :- to Hongkong, 18 conts; Singupore, 15 cents; Java, 34 cents; and Europe, £4. EXCHANGE: - On Hongkong, 30 days' sight, two per cent. discount.

The following were the quotations of stocks at the Open Stock Exchange Bank Buildings. 12th March, 1874:-

H.K. Fire Inc. Co..... \$500 per suare. Chine Fire Ins. Co..... Victoria Fire Ins. Co... 122 do. U. Traders' Ins. Co.....1,775 per share.

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O. & J. Marine Ins. Co. 100 ... do. Y'teze Ins. Association 705 ...do. H. C. & M. S. boat Co. \$16 per-cent pres U. S Navigation Co. Tls. 76 per share. Shanghai Steam N. Co. 114 do. Hongkong Hotel Co.... 60 per cent. dia. Inde-Chinese Sugar.... 6 per share.

MADAME GODDARD'S CONCERT. The programme for this lady's second concer o be seen in our advertising columns, is high attractive, and is altogether different from the aret. Mozart's Sonata in A. Major is the classical piece selected, finishing up with the Rondo à la Turco, a most lively and spirited Fibale. There are two popular pieces also to be performed by the Star of the Evening. Mrs. Smythe will sing some English songe and ballade, and we have no doubt will acquit berself well, as at the first concert. Some of our gentlemes amateurs have very kindly come for ward, and will assist Madame Goddard at this concert, a German gentleman amateur will contribute two Solos on the Violinaello, which no doubt will add greatly to the attractions of of local celebrity will conduct the concert Altogether we expect another great musical

LATE TELEGRAMS

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE " DAILY PRESS."

LONDON, 10th March, 1874

ASHANTRE WAR. despatch from Sir G. Wolseley, dated

Prab 16th February, says that the Askiantee. King had sent a thousand ounces of Gold as the first instalment of the indemnity. - Sir G. Wolseley received the Envoy on the 18th of February at Fommanab, and sent back a draught (draft?) treaty of peace to Coomassie. Colonel Glover retires to Adem. All the white the doctor's slang, gave rise to a number of troops are on their way to the coast. The last detachment embarks on the 22ad of February. oomes in ally of England.

Hongkong, 12th March, 1874.

this subject The Times says .- No doubt the same time announcing that he was the veri- is worth something. Don't be content with himself advised Mr. Gladstone last Spring, would point out some means of protecting the becility, and marvellous slowness. He said a ships, and the publication of authoritative lists | was exceperated at this gratuitous apalt, was not born a man. The sent des not rise The gentlemen, mentioned are well-known as the Indian tens a fair field in the English The sent des not rise The gentlemen, mentioned are well-known as the Indian tens a fair field in the English The sent des not rise The gentlemen, mentioned are well-known as the Indian tens a fair field in the English The sent des not rise The gentlemen, mentioned are well-known as the Indian tens a fair field in the English The sent des not rise The gentlemen, mentioned are well-known as the Indian tens a fair field in the English The sent des not rise The gentlemen, mentioned are well-known as the Indian tens a fair field in the English The sent des not rise The gentlemen, mentioned are well-known as the Indian tens a fair field in the English The sent des not rise The gentlemen, mentioned are well-known as the Indian tens a fair field in the English The sent des not rise The gentlemen, mentioned are well-known as the Indian tens a fair field in the English The sent des not rise The gentlemen, mentioned are well-known as the Indian tens a fair field in the English The sent description of a fair field in the English The sent description of a fair field in the English The sent description of a fair field in the English The sent description of a fair field in the English The sent description of a fair field in the English The sent description of a fair field in the English The sent description of a fair field in the English The sent description of a fair field in the English The sent description of a fair field in the English The sent description of a fair field in the English The sent description of a fair field in th to lessen the danger. But all the proposals come and carry off Tittums bodily to win the pay will writ issued out of the Queen's proceedings closed with votes of thanks to the him as a good war horse. If the job be long, the pay will writ issued out of the Queen's proceedings closed with votes of thanks to the him as a good war horse. If the job be long, the pay will writ issued out of the Queen's proceedings closed with votes of thanks to the him as a good war horse.

THE WREOK OF THE STEAMER "SUNFOO."

In addition to the particulars published yesterday, we are now enabled to give the following additional details, which we have received upon reliable authority. It appears that the steamer struck on what is known as the Gap Rock, about 35 miles from Hongkong, at about 7 p.m. on Tuesday. The woother at the time was extreme. ly foggy, so that it was impossible to see any distance abead; and the vessel had been slowed down in consequence, going at about half speed only when the accident occurred. As island. They numbered about 140, and, as already stated, all got ashore safely, and the

whole of the baggage was saved. The vest the public would be glad to meet the mem- the delay. He says that, after the contracts sel, it seems, was completely jammed be bers of the Hongkong Dramatio Club on were made for two new ships, it was distween two rocks as though in a oradle, and similar occasions oftener than they do. remained in this position. At about 9 o'clock the following morning the water was over her main deok. As soon as could be arranged, it ters were dispatched to the Agents in Hongkong for assistance, two by native hoats, and one by the ship's cutter in charge of the second officer, who was

brought the intelligence as given by as yesterday. The non-arrival of the cutter, which was the first to leave the ship, caused much upeasiness; but both the gentlemen above-named reached this in a native boat yesterday aftermoon, when it appeared that the cutter had had to be sent back to the steamer, not being uble receipt of the Captain's letter last night the Fame was at once desputched : From Bombay, to the 12th inst., about 2,000 Commodors to guard the wreck. From chests of Malwa Opium were shipped for this the account given by the second officer when be landed, it seemed that there was very little chance of getting the vessel off. The Pame only one copy of the summons was acrved, arrived yesterday at 6.30 p.m. with a portion of the other passengers, and was to start again for the remainder, about 100; a good portion of whom, however, had no doubt been taken on board the Teazer. The Fame brought nows that the vessel had broken amidebips, and become a total wreck. Particulars of cargo are not yet to hand, but it is stated that she had

accompanied by Mr. Korr of the Oriental Bank,

HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIO

only a small quantity on board.

This society gave one of their performances successfully. The pieces obosen were "A Romantic Iden," and " The Steeple Obase," which We understand the steamer Cheops has been have been in preparation for some time, and we chartered by Mesers. Jurdine, Matheson & Co., were glad to notice that the care, and trouble bestowed by thuse who cater for our local dramatic tastes were so well received, and so deservedly acknowledged. The first piece, in epite of its title, lays little claim to the ro-We hear that amongst the cargo of the late | mantic, but the scenery is very good. The piece ensues between this youth and Frank (Mr. eingian (Miss Sydenbam, a good get up in ber way) enters. Hans had known her in her single days, and, much to the disgust of the old taverukeeper, would now fain indulge in a bit of fliration. The landlord interferes, when his better half tells kim, with that prompt dising. No actual news of fighting between the simulation characteristic of her kind under Gorernment and insurgents. Those latter are such circumstances, that she is informing him the way to the rain. She then, at Hans request sings the ballad story of it, which, with the chorus, tells very well. Soon after Karl (Mr. ment troops have victoriously defeated the companied by Therese (Miss Fitzbluebington) a neice of the landlord's, a smart damsel of the with them. the scene. The second scene finds Hans and

girl-of-the-peried type. Karl undertakes to conduct Hans to the ruin, and a storm closes things for another person, was sent to 14 days' RICE :- Supplies from the interior perceptibly. Karl at a ruined gateway in the forest, wherediscloses the interior of the ruins, and TONNAGE :- In barbour commensurate with through the broken arches and pillars of what was the banqueting ball the country is seen, with the moon in the back ground. When the night pacing one of the compartments which tells of a grandour long gone past. He very appropriately quotes Scott's well-known lines about Melrose by moonlight, and certainly the view, to any one who has seen the place, bore a marked resemblance to the classic ruin on the draws attention to the fact that there is no rent from the Mexican engle dollar; and no one thinking that the menial wished to insult him. banks of the Tweed. Hans goes to sleep but soon sees a vision, and his slumbers H.K. & S'ghai Bank 42 per cent. prem. are disturbed by the chorus of the ballad he heard at the village, and our acquaint confined to the North, but we entirely fail to ances there now appear in different characters. Some very good burlesque acting ensues, Misses. Sydenbam and Fitzblushington, and Ppresence of a British garboat at a time when Mesers. Hawking and Waffies, sustaining the disturbances may be apprehended. We do not principal parts. The result of the whole affair | wish to be regarded as alarmists; at the

dering if he has shot anyone, and the villagers to the Public if we failed in giving expression enter, he is tensed for his supposed remarks to what we believe to be the feeling of this notions, says perhaps be would dramatice his dream, and that if well got up his anticipations of its success might not turn out "A Bomantie Idea." The piece is rather wanting in point, but it received full justice, and no little histrionic talent was displayed in its rendering. The second piece was rather a contrast to the former one, was sparkling, with dialogue, and full of telling points. The incidents were most laughter provoking, the house again and again being so completely overcome as to interfere with the progress of the play. Tittums. (Mr. Keith) a London citizen of the John Gilpin type pats up at the "Black Boar," Southampton, on the race week, and during the night got his clothes atolen. Expecting his wife (Miss Fitz. blushington) of whom he stands much in dread by the steamer, he hurries to get shaved, dressed, and broakfasted. A more cantankerous, iraccible, London cad, it would be difficult to conquive, and the way in which Mr. Keith bit off the character was most lauguable. Tiltums though a lamb at home is a lion abroad, and

unnoys the waiters to their beart's content. With his clothes gone, he rous for it, us a las resource, in a dressing gown and bluche boots. Dr. Clipper (Mr. Hawkins) a sport ling M. D., baving, bowever, arrived at the Ion. left his curpet bag behind him in the hall while he wont to interview the uncle (Ald. Slowspach) of bis wife, (with whom he had recently eloped). The enprosed uncle was in reality Bussard (Mr. Traeb) who had assumed Slowcouch's name for the purpose of apprehending Clipper for a tailor's bill. Tillums, after some qualue of conscience, borrows the carpet bag, unknown to the deater, and gets into a racing unit in which the doctor intended to ride eteeple chase on "Commodore.". Titlums no. sooner has invested bimeelf in the racing togs than the doctor, who had seen through the

guise of the bailiff, returns and detects Tit. lums, flagrant dilesto, the eneming dialogueeliciting rours of laughter. Clipper, apprehengive of the hailiff, now tries to persnade Tillums to nesume, his name and ride " Commodore" to win. The misunderstanding of the unsophisticated cookney who never was across a borse's buck in his life, of ludiorous incidents, and the former being at last persuaded, the latter departs. In the interval Mrs. Tillumanppeura, accompanied by Slowcoach, The irrepressible Tiltums again appears, and

alderman to understand that while married to his noice he had also an Araminia. The niece, Mrs. Clipper (Miss Vernon), now comes in, and the explanation given leads both the ladies to believe in the faithlessness of their the Alta California lords, and both horror struck fall into the arms of Slowepach. At this point the veritable Clipper arrives, overjoyed that the race has been won by "Commodore," and finds his uncle

in shoulder high, drunk with excitement and success, and the curtain falls. Instead of eritioising particularly the between San Francisco and Yokohama on thing they could find, at them. The police upon the trial and the course which it had taken. morits of individual players we have given October let last, according to the terms of their fought them some time without weapons, when he went on to call attention to the unprecedent. a brief outline of the pieces. It would be contract was reported to the House yesterday they finally surrendered. Two or three of them educated the defence which the defendant through soon as the vessel struck, steps were taken to invidious to invidious to indicate one outwo where all for printing. In answer to a letter of the Post. Were wounded. The trouble arose from the his counsel," had thought fit to adopt. It had land the passengers and erew upon the did well. From the beginning every point master-General, demanding reasons why the belief that the overseer and not been expected that the learned counsel would was taken up, and every actor seemed fully Company did not put on new steamers on proper disposition of their funds, which had to realize the character assumed, and sus October lat. Vice President Holman writes, been entrusted to him. tained it successfully to the end. We think November let, giving at length the causes of

in this predicament. Tittume, is then carried

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

BEFORE THE HON. C. MAY.

12th March.

A DANGEROUS ASSAULT. A coal coolle, named A-tuck, was charged by nother coal coolie, named Chan-asyow; with immediately pay him ten cents due to him. Dr. Wharry gave evidence of the complainant coming to the Hospital, and the nature of the injury, and the defendant was sent to four months hard labour.

GAMBLING OBDINANCE. Wing-shing carpenter's shop, No. 72, Queen's Committee says that the Pacific Mail Com-Road West, was summoned at the instance of pany, in violating their contract, have forfeited Mr. Deane, Captain-Superintendent of Police, the last subsidy granted them of \$500,000 a to make way against the wind and sea. On to show cause why be should not, nuder the year, and that it will be necessary for Congress provisions of Ordinance 7, of 1866. Section to remuct the law granting it before they can XVII. pay the fines imposed on certain Chi. be benefited. The Post Office Department pro- trenchery which Mr. Gladstone had learned followed, and were necessarily connected with ness residents in the said house, who were con- vides that the company shall forfelt \$1,000 per from the tactics of the Ashantees. The financial the second, he (Mr. Hawkins) would at once bring up the passengers, &c., and H.M. vioted on the 12th ultime, of violation of the day for the first thirty days and \$2,000 per proposals of the Government were a bribe to proceed to deal with the history of Arthur gualoust Teasor was yesterday sent by the Ordinance for the suppression of gambling.

On the 12th ultime, of violation of the day for the first thirty days and \$2,000 per proposals of the Government were a bribe to proceed to deal with the history of Arthur day for every day after in which the provisions secure his success in the coming shorties, and Orton, the butcher of Wapping. The summons in this case was, in the first instance, issued for the case to come on for trial on the 28th ultimo, but as the master was stated to be sway from the Colony, and instead of two as required by the Ordinance, bis Worship directed a fresh summons to be issued for the following Saturday, the 7th instant, on which date the case was remanded When the case came on again it was found hat the defendant was not in attendance." Mr. Oruz, the Portuguess usher of the Court

eposed to the proper service of the summon ns required by the Ordinance. warrant cannot be issued as there is no agents. legally responsible person. He would, therefore, ask for the case to go on in the absence of the

are used and fail, the case will come on again search of an idea, enters. Some conversation | the proper course was to issue a warrant, and while the fact is known that steamship proper. Government providing employment for them | blacken her character. Nor was this all.. She he would issue one.

> DISHONEST BERVANTS. The case in which Mr. White charged one of atatements furnished to the Legislature and William H. Vincent; conservative candidate challenge comparison with Creighton's flock." his house boys at the Sing Hotel with stenling circulated in newspapers, the network of all for Westminster, also spoke. He stated that Mr. Whicher and Mr. Clarke were men highly from him 75 center the price of three drinks, steamers owned by the Company without refer | during his regard visit to the United States he respected and esteemed men against whom on Sunday last, came on again, when it being enco. to their depreciation, bus been adhered to, bad full opportunity to observe the universally not a single imputation had been put forward thoroughly proven that defendant had mis thus making the capital stock to represent corrupting tendency of democratic institutions. supported by the slightest abadow of provi conducted himself be was fined \$5.

ATTEMPT TO STAB. Sam-shee, a senman, unemployed, was char- stenmers. ged by another named Sa Kawat, belonging to A BIBUGGLE OVER THE POST MORTEM EX the Messageries Maritimes steamer Petho, with attempting to stab him.

The case being well founded by witnesses, the defendant was sent to 14 days' hard labour. A YOUNG THIEF. A boy named Laung-chew-yip unemployed, on the bodies of the Siamese Twine. Applica was charged by Lenng-your-yan, boutman, in No. tion has been made to the Judge of the State cargo-boat, but residing on the Praya Cen. Supreme Court, to use his influence with Judge tral, with stealing from his bouse three saws. Cloud to issue un order compelling the Coroner Wassles) a postilion, appears on the scene, ac. one taps line, one oil skin cost, and one cotton to hold a post-mortem. Judge Cloud refuses

> Defendant, who said he was carrying the rattan, 10 stroken each time.

Defendant said as he was in the act of put- | worth the trouble of contradicting, were it not ting it into the dust bin boat, a swell of the that many of the readers of the said paper, who sea came, and the boatman fell overboard and belong to the Church party, are always endea- BADMINTON IN THE NATIVE TONGUE, and at Dargo. He met Castro at Wagga Wagwas drowned, he became affaid, and the basket | vouring to create an ill-feeling between Mex fell from his hand and went into the water. Fined 10 cents.

FOOCHOW. The Foochow Herald, in commenting upon the recent disturbing news from the North

gunbout stationed at that port. ing place, bostilities would no doubt be comprehend why an important place like Foochow should be deprived of the invaluable is that the sceno changes, Hons wakens up, won- same time we should be wanting in our duty community in the matter."

MISSIONARIES AND THE FOREIGN COMMUNITIES. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILT PRESS,"

DEAR SIR, -- An extract from a letter, which is said to have been written by a Missionary at Foochow, has lutely appeared in the Daily Press. and by the comments made upon it, it would seem that complaints were made in that letter against foreign residents in China. So far as we can find out, no letter has been written by a Missionary at Foochow either complaining of foreign residents in China, or con erning them at all. The only letter that we are aware of having been written by a Missionary, which would bear the loast resemblance to the words quoted, was one on behalf of Sailors

employed in Merchant vessels, to some friends who are deeply interested in their welfare. It the passage quoted has reference to this letter. t has been so severed from the context; and so altered from the original, that it is simply calculated to mislead those who read it, instead of giving them a correct idea of the object of the letter. The letter was written in answer to some questions asked by the Committee of the Mersey Mission to Senmen, and was intended to benefit that class of men, who in the midst of a perilons and ardnons life at sea have but few opportunities of meeting together for the Worship of God. While we admire with gratitude the devoted lives of some of our Beamen, we are painfully aware of the fact that there is yet great room for improvement in many of them, and until that takes place, it must be a bindrance, in a great degree, to the spread of the Gospel. It is because we long for the welfare of these men that we renture to speak

fault; as some might suppose. Foreign residents as Foodbow have been always most willing to belp us in every good work for the benefit of the Chipese, and it would be a couse of regret to us if they were led, by a misunderstanding, to suppose that they ment. were made the subjects of unkind remarks. I um, Sir, Your obedient servant,

A FOUCHOW MISSIONARY. Foodbow, 3rd March, 1874,

How to Success. If your sent is too hard who gollantly assumed the care of her luggage to sit upon, stand up. If a rock rises up before in such a way as to cause much merriment. you, roll it away, or climb over it. It you want Conservative and supporter of Disraeli, spoke purpose of mixing to make them saleable. He morning. money, earn it. If you wish for confidence, to night. He spoke of the differences in the said the public were not fully alive to the mistaking Blowcouch for the build proceeds to prove yourself worthy of it. It takes longer to Cabinet and the Church. He also, in an address; excellence, and economy of Indian tess, and Agentleman said that Nantnoket horses were How to Avoid Collisions Ar SEA.—On slang him with unmitigated impudence, at the skin an elephant than a monte, but the skin and concluded by trusting that the Society of Arts celebrated for their general worthlessness, imwith the subject; and there are unquestion— come back in the end to the old-fashioned laterple charge in the life of residents in the life of residents in the life of residents in good look-out."

To lessen the caugest and the charge and the chairman,—London and China George he is a good was horse—he'd sooner dig come back in the end to the old-fashioned laterple charge and the chairman,—London and China George he is a good was horse—he'd sooner dig come back in the end to the old-fashioned laterple charge and the chairman,—London and China George he is a good was horse—he'd sooner dig charge in the life of residents in good look-out."

The life of residents in good look-out."

with those he had to assume, he leads the worthy ARRIVAL OF THE PACIFIC MAIL The P.M.S.S. China, Captain Cobb, arrived yesterday, with dates from Sau Francisco to 2nd February. The following items are from

THE PACIFIC MAIL COMPANY AND THEIR CONTRACTS. WASHINGTON, Japuary 20th.

The correspondence between the Post Office Department and the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, relative to the failure of the Com- police, whom they attacked with desperation, the whole history of English original jurisprinpany to begin the additional monthly service throwing knives, forks, pieces of iron, and any- dence. Beginning with a few general remarks povered that there was no machinery in the explanation to the Foreign Powers regarding the only phrase Mr. Hawkins allowed himself. United States large enough toroll the iron beans. The preparation of this machinery caused Renter. In response to the inquiries made a delay of five months. Afterwards, pud. while he was in Europe, he was led to believe dlers in the iron works struck and this that the undertaking would not receive the of their power; with subornation of perjury; and other causes resulted in further delay. Mr. necessary funncial support; and therefore the with bribery, corruption, and conspiracy; and Holman describes the ships as the finest in the request for six months grace, which was arged world, and claims that the Company has made before the commencement of the work, was every possible effort to put them on the line at refused. the appointed time. He says that besides two. MR. GLADSTONE'S ADDRESS AT GREENWICH serionaly seasulting him because he sould not new steamers of 6,000 fone burden each, the Company has four new from steamers of 3,000. tons each, which he hopes will be accepted for pervice until the large ones are ready. THE PACIDIO MATE COMPANY SAID TO HAVE

LOST THE WHOLE OF THEIR CHINA SUBSIDY. A Washington special to New York enys the Lee-a-yan, the registered householder of the Postmaster General, in his letter to the Postal

P. M. S. E. COMPANY. The Yearly Statement of the Board of Directors -\$13,422,181,27 on the Debit Side. NEW YORK, January 29th: The yearly statement of the Board of Directors of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company and sham arbitrations were also denounced.

shows the peacts of the Company to till to-day, in consequence of Mr. Deane's libess. \$7,225,221.08, and the liabilities \$20,647,402.35. leaving a balance of \$13,423,181.27 to the debit side of the profit and loss account. THE ASSETS.

Mr. Denne said that the law in these cases 2.085 shares, set down at \$100,335.99, payments | He recapitulated various abuses which it had | Valparaiso the learned counsel; tracked young was very peculiar. The real offender could not of \$3,128,122 on account of the new iron abolished. properly be touched personally as the law stood, steamers, Acapulco, Grenada, Colon, Colima and Ho was fined, and in default of goods and the City of Panama, which are completed, and chattels, the law again stapped in to come on on the City of Callao, City of Yedo and City of the owner of the house. The offender getting Pekin in the course of construction. The sum | their constituents. fined did not care, as he has he has no goods of \$1,556,500 is set down for stenmers and and chattels. The house owner has seized the lighters, and the balanco is made up of coal at stone's promised action on reducing the taxes, bousebolder's chuttels and he cannot be found. the depots, supplies and cash in the bands of said it would involve a loss of £9,000,000 to the the Arthur Orton who had served on board the

The linkliftes include \$20,000,000 as the persons ongaged in trade and commerce. capital stock of the Company. To this is added Gosben declared himself in favor of the inte- time at Melipilla. Miss Loder, to whom he Mr. May ruled that a warrant be issued for | the num of \$317,571 due to the Panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which be issued for | the num of \$317,571 due to the Panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which be issued for | the num of \$317,571 due to the Panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which be issued for | the num of \$317,571 due to the Panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which be issued for | the num of \$317,571 due to the Panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which be issued for | the num of \$317,571 due to the Panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which be issued for | the num of \$317,571 due to the Panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which be issued for | the num of \$317,571 due to the Panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which be issued for | the num of \$317,571 due to the Panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | grity of the empire, by which | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | the num of \$317,571 due to the panama Railroad | the num of \$317,571 due to the num of \$317,5 the defendant, to enable the responsible person Company, and the remainder of the liabilities | home role, and the maintenance of the present | the Arthur Orton who, had returned from to appear, and then, when all ulterior measures | consists of sundry accounts and claims.

DETERIORATION. Mr. Deane demurred, and proposed to apply o unts of the Company show no charge to the working class by education and the removal of grossest and wickedestobarges and been levelled. ty deteriorates by at least some 10 or 15 per in times of scarcity, because such relief would had been contemptuously spoken of as "one of cent. yearly. In the various official yearly sap the spirit of judependence." execes of the present value of the Company's land.

AMINATION OF THE SIAMESE TWINS: NEW YORK, 28th January. A despatch from Greensboro, North Oaroline, says a strong effort is to be made to compel the State authorities to hold a legal inquest

jacket, he being detected coming down stairs to interfere. In the meantime the bodies are faat decomposing-A QUEER CHARGE AGAINST THE TRADE

Chinose constable Lieu-a shun charged a the United States has insulted Mexico by basket of rubbish into the harbour near Gil- are used in the National Mint of this city. Such erroneous assertious would soarcely be icans and Americans, and avail themselves of the Pioneer, under the signature of Alcibiades.

> The report circulated by our Cutholic friend is ontirely groundless. The trade dollar of ! Sahib, Mem sahib he sat tomfool kelta." except that paper could have found such a ridi-

INAUGURATION OF THE PULLMAN CARS ON-THE ENGLISH RAILWAYS. Care the first put on the great Midland Rail evening in the week, and the last novelty Pullmun Palace Cur Company. This American | should come in a Budminton dress. improvement in railroad travelling was received with great enthusiasm.

THE AIM OF THE DISSOLUTION OF PARLIA-LONDON, January 27th. The Pall Mall Gasette declares that it bas reason to believe that the report that Mr. Gladstone has been summoned before the Court of Queen's Bonoh is unfounded.

The Times suys the simple truth is that the Ministry was unable to withstand the aunoyance caused by its-repeated defeats since the beginthe country by a bold dash and promises of reduced taxation.

DE-LIVINGSTONE'S DEATH OFFICIALLY New York, January 27th

Herr Briner, an explorer of Africa, in a letter India. Dr. Campbell said the lecture was given of Arthur Orton, which proved conclusively Gotha, duted Zanzibar, says Dr. Livingstone in consequence of a recent correspondence in that there were two Arthurs in the field hied on the 15th of August. This date differe The Times relative to the adulteration of China at least, if not more. It is impossible here rom that of the previous reports. But all doubt has been set at rest by an Indian teas. His observations led him to believe single example must suffice. A Mr. William official despatch received by the Government that little was known of the subject in this Acott, it may be remembered, was called for to-day from Zanzibar. The despatch circum- country although it was forty years since toa the defence, who proved that he met Arthur stantially states how Dr. Livingstone died in was first discovered in Assam, growing wild, Orton in 1855 at the MacIvor diggings, in Lobisua after crossing the marshes, with the and thirty years since it was found in the same 1857 at the Big River, and in 1860 at Marywater at one time for three hours consecutively state in Cachar. It was very satisfactory to borough. Now, in 1855 Arthur. Octon of above his waist. The sufferings of his whole be able to state that the Indian authorities had Wapping was at Hobart Town, and in 1857 he. party were terrible, and ten of them died been roused to vigorous exertions in providing was at Boisdale. It was clear then, assuming in consequence. The members of Cameron's means of communication between the tea. Mr. Acour's evidence to be true, that the expedition were suffering from fever, producing districts and the seaboard. Mer- Arthur Orton whom he met was not the Arbut they would await the arrival of the chuntsfrom Thibet, Cashmere, and Afghanistan thur October of Wapping. Other witnesses Doctor's remains and bring them to Ujiji; had prossed the Himslyss into India, and were besides Mr. Acoust were touched upon. There from the latter place they would be forwarded carrying off the tens from the factories in the was Cotton, the "pirate," and Janes, the "reto Zanzibar, where it is expected they will north-west at highly remunerative prices, spectable sly gr gation man," and Pavis, the

THE HOME BULE MOVEMENT IN IRELAND. A Home Rule meeting was held in Dublin the ten prospects, were brighter than the with "Hallo, Chips I how are you ?" Como about them, and not for the purpose of finding last night. It condemned the sudden dis- pioneers of the great Indian industry could esta, Chipa," said Mr. Hawkins, with a twinkle solution of Paraliament as a trick for surprising | hitherto beast of. The tea crop of India was in his eye, as he sat down.

ENGLISH POLITICAL HOTES.

A BLOODY AFFRAY AMONG SOME CHINAMEN IN AMERICA.

PITTERURG. January 30th. A serious affair occurred at Benver Falls todity, among Ohimmen employed in a cutlery cution upon the whole case. With one foot works at that place. The overseer and pro- upon the red-cushioned seat, with his face prietor, who were passing through the works, turned full towards the jury, with his notes were attacked by the Chinese workmen with the spread out before him, and with an air of condetermination of killing them. They escaped fidence that was almost infectious, the learned by rushing though an office. As the Chinamen | counsel commenced what hide fair to be one of attempted to follow they were met by the the most memorable speeches upon record in

THE SHAR RISES TO EXPLAIN. LONDON, January 31st. A Berlin special says the Shah has made an the annulment of the concession to Baron

LONDON, January Blat. Mr. Gladatone, in bis address at Greenwich this afternoon, replied to the various accusations went down with all hands. It was not until that had been made against him by the Conservatives; and defended his use of the patronage attaching to his office. Fully 3,000 persons were on the ground at Greenwich this afternoon when Mr. Glad-

atone made bis speech,

MR. DISEABLI AT AYLESBURY. Mr. Disraeli also addressed a large nasem- sworn that be had seduced his consin. Such blage at Aylesbury to-day. He said the die- work the barges which the jury had to investisolution of Parliament was an act of black gate. And as the first and third of them den would be caused by the promised remission in musterpiece of skilled condensation, in which of taxation which would make necessary even suthing was touched upon that was not absomore vexatious and burdensome taxation in the Intely essential to the case. Arthur Orton was future. The inattention of the Government to born in 1834. His father was old Mr. George foreign political affairs, the carring of the Orton, the Eutoher. And so Mr. Hawkins

JOHN BEIGHT AT BIRMINGHAM. John Bright spoke at au enthusiastic meet- of April, 1848, and was at Valparaiso on the ing of his constituents in Birmingiam, to- 25th of June, 1849. On that day Arthur Orton night. He devoted much of his time to the had deserted her. But Mrs. Brooks, now Mrs. vindication of legislation obtained by the Glad- | Howell, the captain's wife, had seen the defend-The nesets consist of bills receivable to the stone ministry, which legislation Mr. Disraeli aut, and bud recognised him as Arthur Orton. amount of \$400,000; California dry dock stock, in a recent speech characterized as harassing. the quondam cabin boy of the Ocean. So from

THE CONSERVATIVES AHEAD. LONDON, January 31st.

revenue. He suggested that the deficiency Ocean as a cabin boy, and had deserted at Valshould be met by a system of licences for all paraiso. Dona Hayley had identified him as relations with the Colonies. He hoped the Valparaiso, who had stayed for some time ut Asbantee war would not cost over one million. Wapping, and who had finally departed for Ho-The Board of Directors state that the go. pounds. He favored the advancement of the bart Town in 1852. Against Miss Loder the

twenty millions of dolings, which is largely in and had no wish to introduce them into Eng- | beyond this; that it was their duty to unmask

LONDON, January 30th. Two prominent members of Parliament, Miss Loder, then, had sworn, positively Dixon and Mung, the former a Liberal, are re- to the defendant as Arthur Orton; and she, turned for Birmingham without opposition...

THE SULZ CANAL DUES. surtax of three frages per ton, imposed by the Brooks, had identified the defendant. And so Suez Canal Commission, is not only an injustice to the commerce that line been attracted of Arthur Orton from place to place, until he to this route; but a mistake for the Canal Company itself. It is something, like a breach of faith to the shipowners who, trusting to the at the time. That Arthur Octon, of Wapping, permanency of the conditions laid down in the will for some time at Hobart Town is beyond "Acte de Concession," have fitted out floets of all doubt. Equally beyond doubt is it that the steamers for this route, to tell them now that Arthur Orton of Wapping, who was at Hobert following :- Our colleague, the Continental, in- they must either pay more, or revert to the sists upon asserting that the Government of long sea route. Our contemporary is justly surprised that India did not seek to be directly and Darge. But it is by the evidence of Hopcoolie named Leung-u-fock with thiowing a coining money with the same stamps which represented on the Commission, and regards the difficulty as an illustration of the nudesirability of leaving so important a commercial Wagga Wagga the same Tom Chatro who highway in the hands of private speculators.

The gentleman who writes from Calcutta to the most insignificant incidents to attain that tells the following story: A gentleman, just arrived from the molussil, called on a distinguished official, and hunded in bis ourd. the servant. "What P" said the stranger, of Wagga-it stood proved irresistibly that the Sahib tomfool hella," replied the bearer with the Arthur Orton of Beisdale, and that the "In the event" it says of any rupture tak- culous pretext for attacking the American Go- unshakeable gravity. It was perfectly true. the Sabib was playing Badminton. battledore among the natives gues by name of tom-tom; the shuttlecock looks like a flower, and is called phool: tom-tom-phool, or, as Loder, by Allen, the cook of the Middle m; by A party of prominent personages made an it is generally abbreviated, tomfool is the native excursion-trip yesterday, from Derby to Bax. word for this popular game. Badminton is by Mrs. Mina Jury, his own connection by ton, in Pullman Pulace Sleeping and Parlor still the rage bers. There are parties every marriage, who had lent him money and had road of England, under its contract with the bave beard of is a proposal that all the players by Hopwood, and by the witness Redman. And

INDIAN TEAS.

On the 28rd January, Dr. Archibald Campbell. late Superintendent of Darjeeling, read paper on this subject at the Society of Arts, Sir Louis Malet, U.B., member of the Council | the evidence of the various witnesses called for of India, in the chair. In introducting the the detence who had seen an Arthur Orton at lecturer to the meeting, the Chairman observed different times in Australia, and who had sworn that the embject was of great importance both that the Arthur Orton whom they had seen was to England and India, because it affected the poither identical with nor in any way like prospects of the ten industry in the latter the defendant in the present trial. There was, country, and afforded an additional bond Mr. Hawkins enggested, more than one arthur between the two countries. It had a peculiar Orton in all Aus ralia. He. however, was interest, because there was a system in only concerned with one-the true Arthur operation by which a very large part of Orton the Arthur Orton of Wapping. There the China teas was adulterated, and which were inconsistencies of dates, inconsistencies might be checked by a supply of pure tea from in the account given of the personal appearance teas and the obstruction to the sale, of pure to follow Mr. Hawkins's epech in detail. A bespeaking all the prop of next year in Kumaon, tout; and, finally, there was Dykes, the biland paying down half the cash in Advance, liard-room keeper, who, meeting the defendant LONDON; January 30th, 6 a.m. Taking sil circumstances into consideration, after many years, had been greeted by him writes that the dissolution was owing to the 15 per cent, per aurum on the land actually evident that the frequent points with which ninrm at the progress of the Home Rule move- under ton-cultivation -i.e., 14,000 acres ... For Mr. Hawkine's speech bristled were not lost the present your 21,000,000 lb. could be recken upon him. Little notes were frequently passed A Dublin correspondent of The Times says ed on, of which 3,000,000 would be from Dar- up to Mr. McMahon, and short suggestions the organization of the Home Rule party is jeeling. There were other lands which, when were interchanged. Of all this Mr. Hawkins incomplete, and that there is a great lack of cultivated, would increase the supply. Dr. noticed nothing. With his back to the defend-Campbell dwelt upon the quantity of spurious ant, with his face to the jury, he spoke steadily and adulterated China tens. imported into on, articulating avery word, noting every son-LONDON, Jappary 31et. England, and the extent to which pure Indian tende, until four o'clock came, and the Court Hon. Oresford Northeote, who is a Liberal teas were kept back from the public for the adjourned, to "resume its studies" at ten this

THE TICHBORNE TRIAL. 150TH DAY,-15TH JANUARY, 1874. In a densely-crowded court, Mr. Hawkins yesterday rose to roply in behalf of the prosehave had something definite to my with tegard to Dr. Kenealy. The expectation was disappointed. The learned Doctor was treated as an absolutely non-existent and unimportant person. "The defendant, by his counsel." was and to it he consistently adhered. The defendant by his counsel had not hesitated to charge the Government with shameloss abuse had scattered broadcast against persons of the most unblemished character and undoubted position-honourable men and women; venerable and reverend gentlemen-wholesale accusations of the grossest and most profligate perjuty. I was now nearly twenty years ago since the Bella 1865 that the defendant emerged from the slaughter-yard at Wagga-Wagga, and declared himself heir to the Tiebborne baronetoy and estates. To support that claim he had falsely sworn that he was Roger Charles Doughty Tichborne; be had falsely sworn that he was not Arthur Orton; he had falsely and wickedly

A brief life of "young Bullocky" followed-

nation into a costly war, ignominious treaties briefly sketched Arthur's early life, until be came to his first long sea voyage in the Ocean; The Ocean had sailed from Landon on the 9th Bullocky to Melipilla, from Melipilla back to Wapping, from Wapping to Hobart Town, from Hobart Town to Gippsland, and, finally, Several of the city candidates have addressed- from Gippsland to Wagga, Wagga, where he was in 18:5 keeping a butoher's shop under Baron Rothschild, in his opinion of Glad- the name of Castro. What was the evidence ! Mrs. Brooks had identified the delendant as the Arthur Orton, who had stayed for some Whicher's flocks." Whicher's flock might well and to detect crime, and that they had discharged their duty with integrity and ability. if any one, was competent to judge. It was in the Middleton that Orton sailed for Hebart Town. Allen was the cook of the Middleton; be bad associated with Orton The Indian Statesman is of opinion that the throughout the voyage, and be, too, like Mrs. the learned coursel went on to trace the career onme to the evidence of Hopwood. That Mr. Hopwood's evidence was crucial we pointed out Town for some time as a butcher, was later on, in the employment of Mr. Forster of Buisdale wood that Mr. Hawkins connects the Arthur Orton of Boisdals with the Tom Castro of now sits in court as defendant in this great gase. Hopwood had known Orton at Bolsdale gn, and he at once recognised bim as Orton. "Hullo, Arthur!" said he, "is that you?" upon which Castro had bugged him to keep the secret. saying that he had changed his name "over a horse." Thus, then-it being admitted that the defendant at the bar was the Tom Castro Castro of Wagga-Wagga was none other than Arthur Orion of Boisdale was the Arthur The Orton of Wapping and Melipilla. As Arthur Orton the defendant bad been identified by Mrs. Brooks, by Dona Hayley, by Miss Hawkes, who saw him land at Hobart Town never been repaid; by Mr. and Mrs. M'Alister. he (Mr. Hawkins) invited the jury to believe that the defendant whom they naw before them was none other than "young Ballocky," the

> So, leaving the life of Arthur Orton, the carned connect went on to examine in detail

Valparaiso runaway, and Miss Loder's old

	Some very interesting statistics have been	p
	furnished by Mr. Malet, pur Scoretary of Lega-	8
	tion at Peling, in the Blue-book on Ohina trade	ti
•	which has just been issued. It appears there	
	has been a falling off in the importation of	D
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	gross quantity of 8,039,246 lbs. shipped in 1872 to China and retained for consumption in the	a
	to China and retained for consumption in the	n
	country. This quantity is estimated at a value	
	of £8,261,381, and we are told "there is rosson.	0
	to suppose that native grown opium continues	d
	its rivalry with increasing success." Also that "the increased popularity of native opium is	7.7
	shown by the re-exportation of all the Persian	p
	opium which had been imported in 1872, and	0
	all that remained on hand from 1871. In price	te
	this quality competes with native opinion much	10
	more than Indian opinin does, and it is driven	161
	out of the market by the preference which the	p
	former has gradually obtained." The reports	.01
	from the consuls of Tientsin and Function are	48
	quoted in corroboration.	
	This increasing cultivation of the poppy in	b
	the provinces, taken in connection with the	D
	imported from foreign countries, is a proof of	81
	increasing consumption, the first keeping page	14
	with the last, and both reacting on each other.	
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of land (about the seventh of an acre) yielded to other investments with better security for him five ounces of silver a year; while ordinate for the future. For, it may loss come upon us ary crops of wheat, millet, or kassling would through the opium traffic, there will be no lack yield him one counce or more. So great a profit of friends to tell us, with the wisdom of Scloudly selected from the best and changest must confined to spread the oultivation rapidly mon, "that wherewithal a man sinusth, by the till price descends." The second reason lies in same also shall be be punished."—Pall Markets, and are converged. the share of the profit which goes into the Guiette. pockets of the officials. M. Blancheton; the French consulat Hankow, who visited Szcobnen A BEEHIVE IN THE TOWN HALL AT last apring, reports that there are in Chung King alone about "3,100 opium smoking shops, A letter in the Delhi Gazette says: I was SILK, VELVET, and FANCY OLOTH. which pay each a licence of 300 cash (about one startled the other evening in visiting the town shilling) a month to the local magistrate, and ball to find on the roof of the veraudable monthe epium guild pays a monthly lekin duty of stroug beelive, measuring fully three or four 2,500 tasls (or some £300) to the provincial Go. feet in circumference. It is a cariosity in itself, vernment." Of course with such a source of but unfortunately the bees have taken up a private emolument and local revenue at the most dangerous epot, not dangerous to themdisposal of the provincial authorities, no selves, for they are far out of reach, but to those edict that sime at its extinction has much who may visit the place. The little intruders chance of being enforced. And yet there are likely at any appeart to be disturbed by is evidence that, apart from this obstacle; the persons mounting the ladder, when you may thing is by no means impractionable. Mr. Con- guess what the resuld would be. It is the sul Mongan reports that while visiting some largest hive I have ever seen, and I would HATS and BONNETS. (A choice Assort-works in the neighbourhood of Tientsin "he advise my local readers who have not lately was much struck with the fine appearance of visited the hall to call and see it; besides this the soldiers and the heartiness with which they the recent embellishments in the way of mosaic worked. He was told that the reason of this flooring, &c., which have been recently com-

the Empire we find the magistrates deriving a large income for permitting a practice which in another part is punished by death." These facts show conclusively that the danger threatened by the Chinese Government in 1869, when the revision of our treaty was under die- Liverpool on 13th January, Port Said on the cussion, of a competition of native-grown 28th, Sues on 2nd February, Jeddar on the 5th, opium with the Indian product, which would Pening on the 28th, and Singapore on prarch destroy both the trade and the Indian revenue. 2nd; had light and variable winds and emooth was by no means illusory. They prove that our sea throughout. On the night of the 11th £8,000,000 of Indian exports and the revenue thick foggy weather set in lasting to arrival. derived from it at Calcutta might as rapidly disappear as they have grown. We are told Phe British steamer Hailoung reports left ambatitution may not be considered an unmixed red a steamer, bound North near the Lammock evil. If the Chinese as a nation must be con- Islands, mune unknown. suniers of opium, and spend as large a proportion of their substance in the indulgence of a vicious fur at least as the prevention of any sudden. Swutow for Amoy on the 10th instant displacement of large oupital or violent and rapid diminution of revenue was concerned, Some arrangement in this spirit and for such and may have seemed feasible from the engerness of the Chinese Foreign Office to secure some concession or pledge with \$6071 to \$6121; New Benares, \$567; to \$570, a view to strengthen their hands in checking sales reported at \$565; Old Benares, \$590 to consumption and placing a limit spon the in- \$595, little doing; Malwa, \$605 to \$610, small creasing cultivation of the poppy in their own sales. provinces. But it was clearly a very difficult subject to handle with any success; for whatthe Chinese Government really desired was unquestionably to probibit alike the importa- London :-

duties upon it, they have never been reconciled.

to the necessity, and believe it one of the

superiority in arms an evil all the greater

that it not only opens the gates of com-

merce for a feroign supply, but para-

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Alcock last year shows that in despuir of other

means, means they were in 1869 looking forward

to such unlimited production of native produce

as should unders, il and effectually beat the

foreign competitor out of the field-as a first

etop towards being masters, to do what they

all consumption. This indeed bad something very

wild in it, as a means to the end, and offered

little promise of success. With a confirmed

national habit to maintain demand, a readiness

to smuggle both on the part of foreigners and

natives on the coast, and a feeble as well as a

corrept administration throughout the pro-

vinces, what could the Chinese Government

pleased in their own territories, and probibit

any treaties, and when they bad only to deal should have learned something by their experionce of the futility of all their efforts to get rid of the evil that vexed them. Altogether we have here a curlous and instructive chapter in the history of the foreign relations of China, There andoubtedly was a time, not very remote, when the Obinese meaded neither stimulants nor narcotics beyond such as their own weak tobacco leaf or tes could supply. They are still the most temperate Hongkong Gas Company's Shares \$70 per people in the world-all, that is, who have not and that is still a vast majority of the populaing the teste and the want, but at the beginning of this century the whole supply brought by our slips from India did not amount to more than some 4,000 chests. It-was in 1773 that the East India Company made its first small venture, and in 1781, the Company freighted a vessel with 1,600 obests, "Sold however, at a loss to one of the Hong merchants and found by him unsaleable, the whole was reshipped to the Archipelago." And now the anumal shipment from India is some 80,000 cheets. The trade has been a cause of war with China; it involves so large a share of our In--dian revenue that no financier dares to meddle. with it, but looks with unceasing anxiety every year on its fluctuations; and so enormous is the ospital, both in India and China, engaged in the growth, transmission; or sale of opium, that neither the British nor the Chinese Government could do more than hamper its production and sale. We cannot be surprised that neither the Indian Government nor the Anglo-Chinese and Indian merchants showed any disposition to lend a favourable ear to the pro- STEAMERS leaving this port requiring stands English to communicate effectively positions of the Chinese negotiators. All that S COAL can obtain it from the Under- with natives who understand nothing but Chicould be plainly seen was the danger of legislating at all for interests so gigantio, and so signed. intimately intermixed with labour, capital; and trade in every branch. Any sudden: displacement must jeopurdize both profits and revenue. Indeed, it was consier to see how £8,000,000 of the Indian revenue now collected. in fact, from the Chinese, could be damaged on lost, than any probable benefit accraing if it. Trade, objects of Natural History, Furniture, quarte pages, were freely sacrificed to the Chinese Govern- Se., &c., with the Punti, and Mandarin Pronunment or people. It is not, we say, to be clation.

oppy in China is unchacked, and is succeptible. no doubt it is, of almost unlimited extension. nd the Chinese can grow it so much cheaper but it can at present be sold from India, with a 200 per cont. rate of duly upon it at Onloutes and Bombay, an additional cloment of danger and uncertainty must be accopted. If the already going on among the Chinese, leading them to profer the flavour and effects of oping of native growth, should increase, the Indian drug and our trade in it will be placed no a fatal disadvantage, the Chinese drug being so much cheaper. Such changes have often taken place in other countries in reference to various commodities. The proference of the Americana to green ten rather than black, our own doveloped taste for the strong wines of Portugal and Spain, now again changing for the lighter produce of the French and Rhenish vines are ufficient warnings of the fickleness of instional tautes. It may be well to wait and watch, rather than to anticipate and make the oril built we four. The process may, it is hoped, be more gradual in its operation from natural sauses than Government interference or treaty tipulations could have eccured. Such a policy hus been adopted would, in that case, be ully justified, for it is the suddenness or apidicy of any change from which the other the one or the other. There are two greatest danger is to be feared. If that rensons given for this, either of which singly our bo avoided, the rest may be met with might suffice to account for the result. The some equanimity; but even at best the first is the great profit to the cultivator. Mr. look out is not estisfactory, and there are pro-Edkins, a missionary, resident at Peking, passed bably few, whether Indian administrate s of through a poppy-growing district between merchants, who would not be glad, if the Trentsin and Shanglini, and, remarking upon change were made without serious less, to see the evidences of increased outtivation, he writes; all the land and capital now employed in the -" An opium cultivator told me that a mow growth and transmission of opium transferred

was that opium smoking was not allowed in the plated, are worth seeing also. I dare say the camp, and that the men were strictly watched. intraders will remain in undisputed possession The punishment for breaking the rules was till they think proper to quit, at least so far as slitting or excision of the upper lip for the first the chowkeedar is concerned, for he looks on kinds, offence and decapitation for the second." their dislodgment as instant death, if nothing "Thus," as Mr. Malet remarks, "in one part of worse to him.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

(Continued from the 1st page.) The British steamship Hector reports left

that the native opium has a great advantage in Tansui on 6th March, Takao on the 7th, Taithat the labit of smoking it can be compara- wantoo on the 9th, and Amoy on the 10th; had tively entity thrown off. It is also stated to be first part of passage moderate N.E. winds and much less deleterious in its effects on the con- cloudy weather, middle part light variable stitution. This may hardly console our Indian | winds and foggy weather, latter part moderate | DREN'S UNDER-CLOTHING and BABYfinanciere for the loss of one-sixth of their re- N.E. monsoon and cloudy weather. In Amoy, LINEN, always on band. vonue, but from a humanitarian point of view the H.M. Hornet and steamer Buen-tre-fee ; pass-

The British steamship Kwangtung reports left taste as we do on intoxicating liquors, their Focolow on 6th March, Amoy on the 7th, Government may very legitimately desire that Takno on the 9th, and Swatow on the 10th. the compound used should be as little injurious From Foodbow had light monsoon and dull as possible; and also that the revenue to be hazy weather to Amoy. To Takao had light derived therefrom should go into the Chinese, and mederate variable winds and fine weather. treasury instead of finding its way to India. To Swatow had light airs and colms with dense With such a change as this looming in the foggy weather, and from thence to port modehorizon, it was natural that the British Minis- rate monsoon and cloudy weather. In Footer at Peking, during the negotiations for a chow left the steamer Dragon. In Swatow, the revision of the treaty in 1869, should have steamer Kiushu, and one of the China Morsought some means of meeting the coming chant Co.'s steamers, and also H.I.O.M. gunchanges to our Indian revenue and trade, so boat Ling-feng. The steamship Douglas left DRESSMAKING AND MILLINERY BY

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1y 966 Hongkong, 18th June, 1873, INSURANCE COMPANY. Tiff Undersigned having been appointed

Agents in Hongkong for the above Come Capt. Perks, will load here and at Whampon pany, are prepared to grant Marine risks at for the above port, and will have quick desourrent rates AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. ti 471 Hongkong, let Blarch, 1874, OUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY

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FOR SHANGHAI, YOKUHAMA, AND "OAWDOR CASILE." Captain Cowie, will be desputched for the above-mentioned ports at noon TO-DAY, the For Freight or Passago, apply to JOHN-BURD & Co...

2d 384 Hongkong, 12th March, 1874. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. THE Company's Stenmship Captain Samut, will be despatabed for

YOKOHAMA TO-DAY, the 13th instant, at 2 p.M. C. BERTRAND. Principal Agent 374' Hongkong, 18th March, 1874

ODEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI, Taking Cargo and Passongers at through rates for HANKOW, NINGPO, and PORTS in JAPAN. THE Company's Steamship.

HEOTOR will be despatched at 12 noon TO-MORROW the 14th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

351 Hongkong, 13th March, 1874, NUTICE: COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBUT POSTE FRANÇAIS. HE Company's Steamship

TOHN DURAND & Co.'s BORDEAUX Captain Reputel, will be despatched for

Frincipal Agent. 375 Hongkong, 18th Murch, 1874. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. THE British Steamship. " HINDOSTAN,"

Captain Miller, will leave this for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 14th instant, at 3 Despatches will close at 2.30 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID BASSUON, SONS & Co. 5d 371 Hongkong, 10th March, 1874. FOR SINGAPUHE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. -

Neatly Bound, ... Stephen Jarman, R.N.R. Compander, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 14th inst., at 8 P.M. For Freight or Pussage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. 5d 367 Hongkong, 10th March, 1874.

FOR SAIGON THE British Steumer DANUBE. on TUESDAY, the 17th inst., at 4 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SOEY SHING, Queen's Road Central. 6d 385 Hongkong, 12th March, 1874. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY FOR LONDON via SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship "PATROCLUS" Insurance risks accepted on behalf of the Company as under :--On Tea 27/. / all risks, 18/. / F.P.A.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, 340 Hongkong, 6th Murch, 1874. STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

A. MOIVER. P. & O.S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkoug, 10th March, 1874. STEAM TO YOROHAMA.

after the arrival of the next English Mail.

"MADRAS" FTER this date, the Brokerage allowed by will leave for the above place shortly after the A. MCIVERA

> FOR SAN FRANCISCO. HE A 1 British Stenmer "SCOTLAND,"

For Freight or Passage, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co., tf 873 Hongkong, 10th March, 1874. FUR LONDON. THE A 1 Auxiliary Steamship

instant.

Agents.

For Freight, apply to OGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. 324. Hongkong, 28th February, 1874. FOR NEW YORK.

"FRANCISCO CALDERON"

"AUGUST." pos for the above port, and will have quick For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. tf 252 Hongkong, 14th February, 1874.

FOR PORTLAND (OREGON). / THE well-known A 1 Clipper Barque "FORWARD." Wm. Whyte, Master, having the greater por- established since 1855, at Endicott's Lane, and port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, tion of her Cargo engaged, will have immediate that he has always a great quantity of BEST For Freight or Passage, apply to

if 228 Hongkong, 10th February, 1874,

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. HE American Ship "GENTOO," John Linnell, Master, will load as above, and NI to-day, the 18th inst., at 1.30 r.m. will have quick despatch. For Shanghai,—Per Yorkshire, to-day, the

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. tf 32B Hongkong, 2ad March, 1874. FOR BRISBANE AND SYDNEY HE well-known Olipper Ship "ONWARD,"

Capt. Stimson, will have immediate desputch for the above ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. tf 319 Hongkong, 28th February, 1874. FOR SYDNEY via CLEVELAND BAY.

HE A 1 British Barque "MARY MILDRED," George Peacock, Misster, will be desputched as above on or about the 25th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. tf:376 Hongkong, 11th Murch, 1874. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

K IHE Brilinh Ship "JEAN SANDS," from 2.30 p.m. to 2.50 r.m., on payment of a Capt. Lefavour, will have quick despatch for Late Fee of 12 cents in addition to the Postage. the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

ti 284 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1874.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE A American Ship "MIDNIGHT" Capt. Kandrick, will lond here for the above port, and have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

tf 265 Hongkong, 17th February, 1874. FOR LONDON. HE A l British Ship

"FONTENAYE," Captuin Taylor, wilt load here and at Whampon for the above port, and will have early despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. ti 168 Hongkong, 30th January, 1874.

U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA PANA-MA. TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. THE S. S. " CHINA" will leave Houghong for San Francisco, via Yokobama, on MONDAY, the 16th instant, at 3 P.M., taking

Passengers, Mails, and Freight, for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through. Passenger Tickets and Bills Lading are issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to ports in Mexico, Central and South America. and to New York and Europe, VIA PANAMA. A Steamer of the Company will leave Shanghai, vis the Inland Sea Ports, about the same date, and make close connection at Yokohama. At New York and Aspinwall, Passengers bave selection of various lines of Steamers to England, France, and Germany.

Freight will be received on board until 4 r.m. of the 18th instant. a arcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. of the same day. All Parcel Packages should be marked to Marsailles; to France and other Continental address in full; Value of same is required. For farther information is to Piesage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, and Alexandria. Pruya West. T. A. HARRIS

Hougkong, Ji avol 9th, 1874.

STEAM FOR BINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA. VENICE. MEDI-TERRANEAN PORTS, AND SOUTHAMPTON:

ROMBAY, MADRAS, CALGUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA. INE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM I NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship

"MOOLTAN," Captain W. W. FENTIMAN with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on THURSDAY, the 19th instant, at noon. Cargo will be received on board until noon, Specie and Parcels at the office until 2 P.M. or lie 18th ident. For Particulars regarding Freight and Pas-

ange, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the incor-

rectuess in such declaration The Company reserve the option of forwarding all goods shipped by their Steamers for employed for the purpose: Suppers are particularly requested to note British Mail Packet.

the terms and conditions of the Courpany's Black Bills of Lading. A. MOIVER, Superintendent. Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation lor's Office, Hongkong, 9th March, 1874.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARIFILIES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS"

STEAM FOR AIGON SINGAPORE BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILA,

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on board; they must be left at the Agency's viz. Office | Contents and value of Packages are For further purticulars, apply at the Com-O. BDRTRAND, Principal Agent.

Hongkong, 12th March, 1874 DROWN, JONES & CO. UNDERTAKERS &c... OFFICE-No. 9, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.

Memorial Stones and Monuments ercoted. tf 197. Hongkong, 21st January, 1873. NOW READY. LOUND VOLUMES of the TRADE RE-PORT for the year 1873. Price \$10. Apply at the Daily Press Office.
Hongkone, 21st January, 1874

TOEN SKINKER, SAN FRANCISCO, UALIFORNIA: Sole Agent on the Pacific Coast for Winobester Repeating Arms and Ammunition, Do Pont's Blasting and Sporting Powder. Lake

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WING KEE COAL SHOP. THE Proprietor of WING-REE Shop begs to inform the public that his Shop has been COAL in store for sale, Gentlemen or Shipmasters wishing to putronue him, are requested to apply at his Shop. 17 1343 Hongkong, 16th August, 1873,

Post-Office Notifications.

A mail will close. For Shanghai. Per Cawdor Castle, to-day, the 13th inet . nt 11.30 A.M. For Yokahama .- Per French Mail Packet 13th instant, at 3,30 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy and Tameni.-Per Hailoong, to-morrow, the 4th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai,—Per Hecter, to-morrow, the

14th instant, at 11,80 A.M. For Shanghai .- Por French Mail Packet Sindh, to morrow, the 14th inst., at 1 P.M. For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta. Per Indian Muil Packet Hindoston, to-morrow, the 14th instant, at 2.30 P.M. For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta.-Per Cheops, to-morrow, the 14th instant, at 2.30.

MAILS BY THE "UNITED STATES" The United States' Mail Packet "UHINA" will he disputched on MONDAY, the 16th instant, at 3 p.m.; with the Mails-For Yokohama, San Francisco, the United States and the United Kingdom. The Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Books, Newspapers, &c.,

Letters can be posted on board the Packet The Prepayment of the Postage to all the above places by this route is compulsory. Correspondence insufficiently propaid will be forwarded by the English Packets.

Correspondence addressed to Yokohama and the United States must be superscribed per CHINA, and that addressed to the United

Kingdom must be superscribed "vid San. Francisco." F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 8th March, 1874.

until 2.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET." The English Contract Packet" MOOLTAN, will be dispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on THURSDAY, the 19th instant,

Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 18th instant. The Post-Office will be open until 6 P.M. on the 18th instant.

Letters, &c., may be posted during the night n the box left open for their reception. Letters for registration will be received until 10 L.m. on the 19th instant. Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the

19th instant, without late fee. Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 19th instant, will not be forwarded-unless the Late. Fee of 18 cents each as well as the postage is. The letest time for posting Letters ut this Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or

Patterns 10 A.M. on the 19th instant. Late letters (but Letters only) uddressed to the United Kingdom via Brindist, or to Singapore, may be posted on loard the Packet from 11.30 A.M. to the time of sailing, on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents each in addition to the postage.

F. W. MITCHELL Posimester General. Jeneral Post-Office,

Hongkong, 9th March, 1874. MAILS BY THE "FRENCH PACKET." The French Mail Packet "MELKONG" will be disputched on THURSDAY, the 26th inst., at noon, with the Mails-To and through the United Kingdom via States (in a closed mail to France), to Saigon,

Singapore, Galle, Australia and New Zealand, Aden Sevelelles, Reunion and Mauritius, Suck The Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Newspapers, Books, &c., until-11 A.M. on the 26th instant, after which no Letters can be received. Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 25th instant.

Letters for Registration will be received until 10 A.M. on the 26th instant. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmasier Cenmal. Jeneral Post Office.

Hongkong, 12th March, 1874. It is hereby notified for general information that benceforward the Postage on Letters addressed to Russia, when marked to be forwarded via Southampton, will be reduced to 40 cents

per balf-ounce. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmoster-General.

General Post-Office, Hongkong, 18th September, 1872. It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 34 cents per balf-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid

letters will be subject to an additional charge F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaiter General. General Post-Office.

Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873. It is hereby notified that the postage chargeable upon Paid Letters addressed to France Europe through Egypt, either by ruil, or by will henceforward be 12 cents per quarter ounce, Canal in their own Steamers, or in vessels when forwarded by French Mail Packet, and 18 cents per quarter ounce when forwarded by

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster Géneral. General Post-Office. Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

It is hereby notified for general information, that the Postage on Letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded wa Southampton, will henceforward be 36 cents for each balf ounce, which may either be paid in advance, or it may be left to be collected on delivery of the Letters. Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery. F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, 23rd August, 1870.

Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

postage on letters addressed to Denmark, when N THURSDAY, the 26th March, 1874, forwarded via Southampton, will be 28 cents at noon, the Company's Steamship per half-onnee, prepayment optional. Unpaid "MEI-KONG," Commandant FOACHE, with letters will be subject to an additional charge F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster Genera,

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When forwarded via When forwarded via Marseilles 30 cents each half ounce. When forwarded via

It is hereby notified for general information

Bouthampton ... 28 cert seach half-ounce. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post-Office. Hongkong, 28th July, 1870.

It is hereby notified for general information that on and after the 1st August poxt, the Commission chargeable on Money Orders issued upon the United Kingdom at Hougkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama will be as follows,

Above £2 and not exceeding £5 ... 90 Above £5 and not exceeding £71.54 Above £7 and not exceeding £10..72 F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General."

General Post Office. Hongkong, 15th July, 1870.

It is hereby notified that benceforward the postage on letters addressed to Newfoundland. which must be paid in advance, will be as fol-

lows, viz. i-When forwarded via 34 cents each & ounce. When forwarded via 2 94 Marseilles When forwarded via 1 28 Southampton

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General: General Post-Office. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873,

Insurances.

INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE.

A.D. 1720.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

LIFE DEPARTMENT.

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A discount of 20 % allowed.

Extracts. THE JESUITS. Atter Baranger.) Sable apostres, hither wending, Come you from the shades below?-"For and solf in union blending-Soon our Order you shall know. Faithful sons of great Ignatius, Know you why we were exiled? Silencel. We return audacione, And we'll rule ench mother's child! By a Pope we once were banished. By another Pope restored; Soon from earth the former vanished. But the latter is adored. Nations! cease from revolution. Outh'lie kings are wondrous mild ; Come to as for absolution, And we'll rule each mother's chald. Parliament! an omnty bubble. If we changed at man's dusire. Soon the Church would be like stubble, And the State would be like fire. Lows to us shall yet be gracious, Tax and tithe on you be piled. Then will be with power audacious Rule with rods each mother's child. " Every rank by us is entered, As about the world we go; On the great out hopes are centred, But we mingle with the low. Kings have sought to triumph o'er as Then their subjects we've beguiled; Many a throne bas fall'a before us; Thus we rule each mother's child. Hemble homes and stately castles, All shall yield to our attacks. Noblemen shall be our vassals, Wear our livery on their backs. Every priest for us is striving Every nect to us pays toll, Dying men, their beirs depriving. Leave their goods to our control;

W. H. M. THE KIRKPATRICKS. Amongst the most striking examples of vicissitude in North Britain may be cited the transfer of Isla from Campbell of that ilk to Mr. Morrison, and the devolution of the estates of five or six ancient families on the Bairds of Garthsherrie Ironworks, whose aggrandisement will not be the less remarkable should they succeed in establishing their descent from the former lairds or barons of that name, their more immediate progenitors having been small farmers. Amongst the families which they have, so to speak, swallowed up, is one which has recently regained a European notoriety, that of the Kirkpatricks why they were so especially blessed; the of Closeburn, whose crest was a sword drop-Roger Kirkpatrick met Robert Bruce hur-

Till at length, our warfare ended,

School and senate be our throne,

To our yoke your necks be bended,. That the Church may rule alone h.

National trimble when we bloss you ! All are lost on whom we've smiled :

To the dust our feet shall press you;

And we'll rule each mother's child!"

ping blood, and their motto, "I mak sicher." rying from the church in which he had rost, have all one hult. You do not suffistabbed Comyn. "I doubt," said Bruce, ciontly appreciate the gifts which Heaven "that I have slain him." "Do you doubt?" has bestowed upon you. While you envy gave Comyn the coup-de-grace on the very have the privilege of beholding the sun in steps of the altar. Hence the motto and the the daytime, the moon and stars by night, of the French, was a Kirkpatrick, and when content ourselves with a fainter light." her marriage with the son of a Spanish. When those words were concluded a sound grandee of the first class was on the carpet, like that of a horn was heard, and all the she was required to establish her pedigree. company falling on their knees, prayed in a means let the young Mountilo marry the daughter of Fingal."-Biographical and Critical Essays. By A. Hayward, Esq., Q.O.

PARLIAMENTARY SABBATARIA-NISM

Moore's expedition, it is well known, resulted in a disastrous retreat and a glorious victory. The battle of Corunna_was fought friends for at least a fortnight and further on the 16th January. Parliament met on the 19th; the circumstances of Moore's retreat were already known; the news of the without further ado, and followed, in very triumph with which it had been concluded had not reached England. The meeting it- been his guide. Soon a sunbeam of joy lit self had been postponed for a few days. up his dismal features, for he unexpectedly Parliament had been summoned for the Monday, and Wilberforce wrote to Perceval to and silver, as large as beans, had been col--remind him that, if it met on that day, the lected in large heaps, and precious stones of 20 %. members would be tempted to break the incalculable value sparkled in every direction. Detached and semi-deyou for your note of yesterday," was Perce- ly obliterated as he surveyed the glittering removed from Town, and val's reply on the 10th January, "and am treasure, and mentally calculated how much really sorry that I have given occasion for it. of it his pockets would held. His brow. I feel myself the more to blame because, was indeed a little clouded when his guide upon the receipt of your note, it brought back to my recollection (what till then I had forgot) some observations which the Speaker made to me some time ago on the same subject. If they had been present to did not wait to receive that information twice. my mind when wo settled the meeting of Parliament, I would not have fixed it on Monday. We were, however, almost driven into that day. Notwithstanding all these considerations, however, if I-had thought, as I ought to have done, of the Sunday travelling which the meeting on the Monday will too probably occasion, I would have perferred meeting on the Friday in the Sessions week, with all its inconveniences. You have the whole state of the case before you. I am open to your judgment-habes confitentem-for inadvertence in certainly exercise. Lumps of gold as-big as beaus in never felt by me as an excuse." Wilberforce a boot, though affording matter for agreeable seems to have persevered. Perceval yielded. "The House," writes the former in his Diary, pleasant. Nor were the reflections of Karl "nobly put off by Perceval, because of the altogether of an unmixed kind. True he Sunday travelling it would have occasioned." had not unlawfully come by his unexpected -Walpole's Life of Spencer Perceval

A VISIT TO THE NETHER REGIONS-KARL WEISS'S TREASURE.

(From " The Blue Chamber.") Karl Weiss so, at least, the story goesa student of Göttingen, paid a visit to the ruins of Plesse, situated at a short distance. from the town. After wandering about alone tempted to sign some compact, after the fashion he sat down and read until a deep sleep came over him, from which, after some hours, he was awakened by a heavy clap of thunder, poor as he had been on the day before, when By so thick a darkness was he surrounded that be at first believed that he was blind, till a vivid flash of lightning convinced him to the contrary, and, while the heavy rain fell in spite of his high lineage, appeared to be while he observed a light, which the storm mittances from his friends, had been remark-had not been able to extinguish, advancing able for his insolence towards his more needy towards him, and soon perceived that this comrades, and Karl could not help teazing was carried by a little old man with a long his own good fortune, so completely had the beard. Seeing that he was somewhat alarmed, the little man bade him not to be ter. sight of threadbare clothes banished all his rified, but to follow in his footsteps; and scruples on the subject of strangely acquired they went on until they came to a deep well, covered by a sort of scaffolding, which, when they had taken their station upon it, gradually sank till it brought them to a level with the water.

"Would you like to remain where you are, or would you rather go down further and see the wonders of the inner earth?"

Though Karl was sheltered from the rain, the situation in which he was placed was not very desirable, and he naturally expressed Path below. his preference for a visit to the inner earth. It is possible that a slight push adminiswas simple. He was to adhere to the maxim was to secure the box and the bandlerchief, which teaches us to see, hear, and say no- and to retreat as fast as his load would perthing, as closely as possible, and rigidly to mit him, leaving in his baste the boots behind rather well-disposed than otherwise towards taining gold are not to be seen every day,

damaging somebody's cattle. Thus advised, Karl Weiss followed his ed on the path below by a number of la-

were at the worst, he suddenly found him- removed. residence of the guide and Karl, conducted for years in the lown museum? into a beautifully-furnished room, was introduced to two very aged men and three very aged women, who, with great state, occupied hearing that be was a well-behaved, docile young man, who had followed his guide without grumbling; and requested him to seat himself beside them. The company was presently increased by the appearance of a young lady, who, though no taller than a child of six, had evidently attained her full growth, and who, with the most winning nir, invited them all to supper. Karl, somewhat doubtful as to the nature of his new friends, had resolved though he was devoured by hunger not to let a morsel pass his lips; but, at-a tacit sign given by his guide, he not unwillingly altered his mind, and entered the supper-room with the others.

dishes only had been served, but the table was most tastefully decorated, the dishes, plates, knifes, and forks were all of polished silver, and by every cover stood a richly chased golden goblet. When the first was goblet and said what you would call grace, thanking Providence for the good things afforded. Karl, who had consented to eat, felt reluctant to drink; for the liquor in his goblet was of a suspicious colour, and he did not like the look of it, but so earnestly was he pressed by his munificent hosts that he could not persist in a refusal without a breach of courtesy. Ho raised the goblet to his lips, enjoy a beverage so delicious. He was informed by the little woman that it was not a manufactured article, but flowed naturally from the earth, and when he asked his hosts eldest man looked somewhat serious, and spoke thus :-

"Your brethren above, and you among the (make sure); and entering the sanctuary he and without trouble, you forget that you insurances granted by this Association. The mother of Eugenie, ex-Empress which is denied to us, who are obliged to

This was done, and it would seem rather low voice. The evening was approaching in overdone, by the aid of Mr. Charles Kirk- this strange country, just at the moment which Karl Weiss had been first introduced, ed by this Company. The eldest man told the student that the storm was now over, and that now he must return to the upper world, assuring him that his hosts could not let him go without a lit-

tle keepsake. By this delicate hint Karl was decidedly upset. His visit had proved so agreeable that he had hoped to remain with his new pursue his subterranean studies; however. he found himself compelled to take leave sour mood, the little man who had previously entered a large vault, where grains of gold Sabbath by Sunday travelling. 'I thank All his feeling of disappointment was utter- tached Dwelling Houses Other Dwelling Houses, used strictly as such, and their Contents made him a present of a dezen precious Godowns. Offices. stones, but the cloud at once passed away Shops do, and their Conwhat he was informed that he might take as tents....... much gold and silver as he could carry. He but in the twinkling of an eye, not only his pockets, but his hat, his handkerchief, and even his boots were full. So generous, too, was the little man, where only metal was concerned that he made him a present of a

small box filled with golden grain. Having returned to the earth by the way of the well, and taken leave of his munificent guide, he rested himself after a while on a the circumstances, being a somewhat painful reflection, are apt to cause a sensation less wealth, it had been given to him by one who was, to all appearance, its rightful owner but then, what was the character of the donor? The discourse and the demeanourof the small subterraneans had been decorous and even pious; but, whereas some people are not so black as they are painted, others are a great deal worse. Had he possibly been of Faust, and forgotten all about it? Somebow be felt inclined to wish that he was just as student young Baron Franz, who had also been indulging in a mountain stroll, and who, densely upon him, he felt that his condition in very shabby condition. Now this same was nearly as desperate as possible. After a Franz, while in the receipt of handsome rebim a little by making him acquainted with wealth. So he gave, in full detail, an account of his visit to the little peliple and its valuable results, and was answered by a current local rates of premin will be allowed shout of incredulity on the part of his hearer. who refused to believe one word of the narrative. Thus challenged, Karl took off his boots with a triumphant smile, showed their LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM contents, produced and untied the pockethandkerchief, unlocked and opened the little box, and suddenly—fell off the crag to the

He only asked how, in case he met a race of tered by Franz had something to do with this Oleas Steamers and Sailing Ships, people to whom, he was unaccustomed, he accident. At all events the fall was mortal, had best conduct himself. The advice given and the first proceeding on the part of Franz avoid impertment questions. The people him. About an hour or so afterwards they whom he was about to visit were remarkable were discovered by Count von Stutterheim, for their taciturnity; they had but little to also a student of Gottingen, whom chance do with the upper world, which they only had brought to the very spot where what we Above I month, and not visited at night, and, though they were will call the accident occurred. Boots con exceeding three months. mankind, they were certainly tetchy, and even by the rich, and the Count was turning were very likely to avenge an insult by over his treasure-trove with much carriesity, when the lifeless body of Karl was discover-

lender through a narrow passage, being com- bourers. The Count was arrested, boots in pelled to bew down his head all the way, hand; suspicion that he had caused the death while the guide, thanks to his short stature of his fellow student fell heavily upon him; LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMstrode on as briskly as possible, and so un- and though, on the ground that evidence comfortable was this position, and so oppres against him was not sufficiently conclusive. sive was the air, that Karl felt on the point be was acquitted by the magistrates, a slur of fainting. Just, however, as his feelings was upon his character which could not be self on a broad plain, in the open air, dotted How, as a matter-of-fact, Karl Weiss obabout with a number of small villages, which tained the gold which was the cause of his gave signs of rich cultivation, and the dark- untimely end I never knew. As to the innerness which he had hitherto endured was now earth story I did not, of course, believe one exchanged for a sort of twilight. After rest word of it, nor, indeed, did many other peoing awhile by a flowing stream they proceed- ple. I need not, however, trouble you with ed till they came to an exceedingly well- all the speculations and theories which paved street, bordered by small houses, re- gradually grew up round Karl Weiss and markable for brilliancy of colours, resem. his gold. It is enough that he undoubtedly bling those which we see in Chinese pictures. had the property. Were not his boots, and One of the handsomest they entered: it was the mether garments, stuffed with gold, preserved 20 per cent. insurances. five chairs, but received him graciously on IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-THE Undersigned, Agents for the above L Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on any FIRST-OLASS RISK, A RETURN OF TWENTY PER CENT. (200) will be made on the premium obarged on all

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